THE WEATHER.

Local thunder showers and cooler Sunday; Monday cloudy.

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THE JURY ACQUITS PRESIDENT WOOD

American Woolen Mill Official Not Guilty of Conspiracy

THE TRIAL WAS SENSATIONAL

The Litigation a Dispute Between Labor and Capital—Verdicts in Cases Against Alleged Dynamite "Planters."

Boston, June 7.—After deliberating throughout the night a jury today acquitted President William W. Wood, of the American Woolen Co., of the charge of conspiracy to injure the textile strikers at Lawrence by "planting" dynamite. A disagreement in the case of Frederick E. Atteaux was reported. Dennys H. Collins, who turned State's evidence was found guilty on two counts and not guilty on the other four counts of the indictment.

The first count charged conspiracy to injure the textile strikers, and the second count conspiracy to injure unknown persons. The other counts allege conspiracy against certain persons, and a plot to damage property.

The case, one of the most sensational that has grown out of a dispute between capital and labor, was given to the jury at noon yesterday. The jurors began their deliberations at 3 o'clock, and when they had failed to report at midnight, they were locked up for the night.

Court re-convened at 9:30 this morning and the jury came in at 10 o'clock. The foreman reported that Collins was guilty on the first two counts; Wood acquitted and that the jury had been unable to agree in the case of Atteaux. The court ordered that bail for Atteaux be renewed pending disposition of his case.

Counsel for Wood asked the court to direct an investigation of the published statement that an attempt had been made to influence Morris Shuman, one of the jurors. Yesterday Shuman was questioned by Judge John C. Crosby, regarding a statement which he was said to have made recently to the district attorney.

This was to the effect that a man, unnamed, had intimated to him that he might have a business position for life and $200 in cash if he voted "right". Upon assuring the court that he would not be influenced by the alleged attempt at bribery, Shuman was permitted to continue in the jury box.

Judge Crosby stated that an inquiry would be begun before him next Wednesday and he instructed all the jurors to be present.

In asking for the investigation Counsel Hurlburt said: "The newspapers of Boston have been filled with the statement that a juror was approached. While the name of the attorney to whom it was said this juror was to go to get $200 was not mentioned, it was generally known through rumors circulated about the court that the attorney was myself.

A Grave Offense.

"I am the officer of this court. The charge of attempting to bribe a juror is of the gravest character. The jurors are here and I ask that they be kept while these charges are publicly investigated."

District Attorney Pelletier said he endorsed everything that Mr. Hurlburt had said. He declared that he did not believe that either Mr. Hurlburt or his client, Mr. Wood, had even the slightest connection with the matter.

Judge Crosby stated that though the usual method of investigating such cases was through the grand jury, he saw no objection to a public hearing.

"But," he added, "so far as Mr. Hurlburt is concerned, I think an investigation is unnecessary for it is inconceivable that a person of Mr. Hurlburt's high and honorable professional standing should have had any connection whatever in any affair of this kind."

After the adjournment of court Wood was surrounded by a crowd of friends who expressed their delight at his acquittal. His co-defendant, Collins, was the first to offer congratulations. Atteaux, while showing plainly his disappointment at the jury's failure to acquit him, expressed satisfaction over the outcome of Wood's case.

BALKAN PEACE DELEGATES

Entertained at Luncheon by King—Various Views Expressed.

London, June 7.—At the luncheon given by the King in honor of the Balkan Peace Delegates today, His Majesty expressed the hope that their labors would soon be satisfactorily concluded. At a subsequent meeting of the delegates, however, little progress was made, and adjournment was taken to Monday. The delegates failed to reach an agreement on the form of draft of the protocol.

King George, conversing with the delegates regarding the danger of fresh struggles among themselves, remarked that another war would be a crime against humanity.

WEALTHY PEDDLER A SUICIDE

Worry Over Receipt of Blackhand Letter the Cause

St. Louis, Mo., June 7.—Frank Mercurio, who had saved $6,000 from money earned by peddling fruit, committed suicide here today soon after receiving a "second blackhand" letter demanding $2,000. Worry over the letter had so unnerved him that he took his life.

You will get rid of that headache by getting glasses from us. Eyes tested free. Dr. Vineberg, the Eye Specialist, Masonic Temple.
(Advertisement.)

TARIFF BILL TO BE SEVERELY TESTED

Will Have a Parliamentary Try-out Before Senate Committee

WORK ON VARIOUS SCHEDULES

Members of Democratic Finance Committee May Oppose Changes of Underwood Measure—Simmons Calls Meeting

Washington, June 7.—Before the tariff bill gets to the Senate Democratic Senate caucus, where it will be submitted to the most severe test it must meet before its passage, it will have a parliamentary try-out before the Senate Finance committee that promises to be most rigid.

Although the sub-committees have been at work on various schedules a month, and are about to finish their work, it was said tonight that there would be opposition by Democrats of the Finance committee to many changes. There is a prospect that some of the sub-committee recommendations may not be adopted.

Majority Members to Meet

Chairman Simmons, of the Finance committee, tonight called a meeting of the majority members of his committee for Tuesday morning. He hopes to call the meeting of the entire committee next week but two of the sub-committees still are struggling with schedules and cannot complete their work before the middle of the week at the earliest. Senator Johnson's sub-committee will work tomorrow. If some schedules are reduced as much as is reported a fight in committee seems certain.

Duty to Remain on Diamonds

The Johnson sub-committee today practically decided to keep the duty on cut diamonds at 10 to 15 per cent. The Underwood bill proposes 20. Diamond merchants filed briefs showing it was the opinion of customs officials that an increase of duty would increase smuggling.

The sub-committee also decided to modify the clause prohibiting the importation of plumage of wild birds, holding that it was too rigid, and would shut out feathers of birds not protected in foreign countries. The amendment will not, however, admit alegrettes.

POLITICAL ACTIVITY ALLEGED

Many Employes of the Weather Bureau are Reduced

Washington, June 7.—Thirty-one employes of the Weather Bureau have been reduced for connection with the alleged political activity which reached into the recent dismissal of Chief Willis L. Moore. Henry L. Heiskell, professor of meteorology, and D. J. Carroll, chief clerk, have been suspended without pay pending an investigation.

Charges have been preferred against 50 employes in all alleging that they procured increases in salary or promotions in grade in return for promotion of Moore's candidacy for Secretary of Agriculture in President Wilson's cabinet. Thirty-one already have been demoted to their former status, Secretary Houston announced today. Copies of the charges and all other papers in the cases have been laid before the Civil Service Commission. Fourteen cases are held in abeyance.

Moore was dismissed, and Charles T. Burns, his chief clerk, was demoted after an investigation in which Secretary Houston reported that Burns had traveled about the country at government expense ostensibly on business, but actually doing political work for Moore.

MARKERS AT GETTYSBURG.

Governor Craig Appoints Commission for Important Work on Battlefield.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 7.—Governor Craig announced today the appointment of the commission that will under the special act of the recent Legislature go to Gettysburg and locate suitable markers that will show the position of North Carolina troops in the terrible battle. The commission consists of J. A. Long, Roxboro; C. B. Watson, Winston-Salem; Judge W. A. Montgomery, Raleigh; Major D. C. Waddell, Greensboro; W. Frank Utley, Apex. The commission, together with the State Historical Commission will visit Gettysburg before the 50th anniversary celebration of the battle by the Federal government and State of Pennsylvania, July 1st and 3rd.

MESSAGE ON CURRENCY REFORM

President Expected to Act on Question Tuesday.

Washington, June 7.—Members of the House Banking and Currency committee expect President Wilson to send to Congress by Tuesday his message on currency reform. They do not expect any specific detailed plan or administration draft of a currency measure.

Whether all meetings of the committee will be open depends largely upon recommendation of the sub-committee. Some of the Democrats on the committee expect to be called to the White House to discuss the President's views on that point, the expression of which they understand is to be withheld from the formal passage.

REPRESENTATIVE APPOINTED

Will Expediate Business of Panama-Pacific Exposition

Washington, June 7.—Major J. J. Dickinson, of New York, was today appointed by Secretary Bryan, representative of the Panama-Pacific Exposition at $4,000 a year in the State Department. Major Dickinson's duties will consist of expediting the business between the department and the exposition authorities.

WILMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS

The graduating class of the Wilmington High School this year was composed of 35. Ten members of the class are boys, the largest number to graduate in the history of the school. Members of the Senior class were leaders in practically every line of activity in school. Tom Strange, president of the class, is known as one of the best golfers in the State, winning in the recent tournament of the Cape Fear Country Club against some of the best local players. Nearly all members of the class will pursue their studies through colleges or universities. Miss Jeannette Buck, of the Senior class, led the school this year. The officers of the class are: President, Tom Strange; vice president and historian, Kenneth Otten; secretary and class prophet, Eliza Davis; treasurer, Will Monroe; class poet, Jeannette Buck.

INDIAN APPROPRIATION BILL

Senator Lane Demands That Committee Obtain Statements as to How Funds Are Administered at Once

Washington, June 7.—Demands of Senator Lane, of Washington, that the Indian Affairs committee of the Senate get complete statements as to how all Indian funds are administered before acting on the $10,000,000 Indian Appropriation bill now pending(has opened up an Indian fight that probably will be carried on to the floor of the Senate.

Senator Lane made a final demand today upon the committee, of which he is a member, for complete information. Thus far the committee has been unable to furnish him with the facts. Senator Lane proposes to ask the committee Monday to authorize only temporary appropriations for the Indians, and to institute at once an investigation of the Indian Bureau.

Other committee members declared it was impossible to get the detailed statement of expenditures Senator Lane desired, and that the bill would be recommended for passage early next week. Mr. Lane said if such action were taken, he would renew his fight on the floor of the Senate.

The Indian bill contains a provision for which Senator Townsend, of Michigan, has made a hard fight, for a complete investigation of the Indian bureau, the Indian service and the administration of all funds.

Letter of Protest

Senator Lane filed a protest with the committee today in the form of a letter, in part as follows:

"I have asked for a reasonable and plain business statement on the facts, without prejudice to anyone as they relate to the many differing provisions of the measure. This bill provides for specific appropriations amounting to between nine ad ten millions of dollars, and in addition confers power to administer property and moneys amounting, I am informed, to hundreds of millions more.

"Up until this time, I have been unable to secure information except what pertains to a few agencies, which in every instance shows that the moneys appropriated have not been applied for the purpose for which they were asked. In addition, such statements prove conclusively and beyond dispute that appropriations are accompanied by rights of absolute control over millions of dollars' worth of property, no accounting for the management of which anywhere appears.

"It is my desire to ascertain now whether or not the committee intends longer to deny me the right of having the facts as they pertain to this measure laid before it for consideration."

CONFERS WITH GOVERNOR.

Japanese Statesman Has An Audience With California Official.

Sacramento, Cal., June 7.—Accompanied by an interpreter, Y. Yamaguchi, member of the Japanese Parliament, had an audience today with Governor Johnson. The Japanese statesman and the Governor exchanged compliments for five minutes. Not one word was spoken concerning the anti-alien law, although Mr. Yamaguchi came from Japan to investigate the Japanese land ownership situation here. He will lecture tomorrow before the Japanese of Sacramento.

Children's Day Monday at Carolina Beach. Music by Johnson-Scelzi Orchestra. Only 10 cents round trip, children and adults. Spend a day with the kids at the safest beach on the South Atlantic. Watch it develop. (Advertisement.)

COMPLICATED CONTROVERSY

Additional Charges Are Made in Connection With Political Machinations Used in Investigation of Phagan Murder.

Atlanta, June 7.—Additional contributions to the mass of charges and counter charges in the controversy in which the local police department, Mayor Woodward, Attorney Thomas B. Felder, and others are involved, growing out of the recent alleged use of a secret telephonic device purporting to have uncovered evidence of political machinations in the investigation of the Mary Phagan murder mystery, were made today by Attorney Felder.

In a lengthy card to James R. Gray, editor of the Atlanta Journal, Mr. Felder endeavors to reproach him for having published the alleged report of a conversation between Felder, A. S. Colyar, Jr., and G. C. February, of the local detective department. This alleged report, which Mr. Felder asserts is spurious, purported to relate to the removal of certain papers from the offices of the police department. These papers, it was claimed, would have an important bearing upon the controversy over the manner in which the Phagan case was being investigated.

Another card sent by Mr. Felder today to Newport Lanford, chief of detectives, attacks in vigorous terms Chief Lanford's alleged part in employing the telephonic device, and his administration of the detective department. Another letter, similar in its nature, was addressed to Chief of Police J. L. Beavers.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The Tobacco Association Holding Its Annual Convention.

Richmond, Va., June 7.—The Tobacco Association of the United States, which has been holding its annual convention here today, elected the following officers:

T. M. Carrington, Richmond, Va., president.

W. L. Petty, Lexington, Ky., first vice president.

R. P. Watson, Wilson, N. C., second vice president.

B. P. Eggleston, Drakes Branch, Va., third vice president.

The next convention will be held either in Louisville or Lexington, Ky., the executive committee to decide the question in the Fall.

OUTLINES

It is expected that President Wilson will send his message on currency reform to Congress by Tuesday.

A jury yesterday acquitted William W. Wood, president of the American Woolen Co., charged with conspiracy.

The Underwood tariff bill will be submitted to the most rigid test before it goes to the Democratic Senate caucus.

Secretary Bryan is preparing to take up with Counsellor Moore Japan's latest note on the California anti-alien land law.

Thirty-one employes of the Weather Bureau have been reduced for connection with alleged political activity which reached its final culmination when Chief Willis L. Moore was dismissed recently.

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New York markets: Money on call nominal; no loans. Flour steady. Wheat spot easy. Turpentine steady. Rosin easy. Spot cotton quiet, unchanged; middling uplands 12.10; middling gulf 12.35; sales, none.

THE COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS

State Convention Elaborately Entertained at Salisbury Yesterday. Automobile Awarded—Other Features of Session.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Salisbury, N. C., June 7.—A big parade at noon was a spectacular feature of the U. C. T. convention in annual convention in this city. This was participated in by more than 500 traveling men, representing almost every line of commerce and manufacture in North and South Carolina. They came also from almost every city and town in the two States.

It was an inspiring and impressive scene, being one of the best parades ever witnessed in this part of the State. Leading the procession was E. W. Tatum, Past Councilor of the Salisbury Council, with the ever present "Billy Goat" mascot and the banner of the entertaining council, No. 507. Following came the bands, grand council officers and representatives from other councils.

For the first time in the history of the U. C. T. organization horse racing was put on this afternoon. It proved a great success. In a free-for-all pace Lady Gladwin, a black mare, owned and driven by Capt. R. L. Avery, took first money in the two best out of three heats; time 1:13 on a half mile track. George T., owner W. R. Frazier, second money, Tigress, owner J. P. Cathey, third money. Lady Gladwin also made an exhibition run in 1:05.

North Carolina took the ball game from the South Carolinians by a score of 5 to 2. Rain interfered with the game on two occasions and it was never finished. The game was thoroughly enjoyed.

The ladies of Salisbury tendered the visiting ladies an auto ride over the city at noon. This proved a most enjoyable feature of the convention, there being many ladies present.

The closing feature of the annual gathering was an automobile contest which was won by Mr. D. J. V. Peeler, of Salisbury. The machine was delivered to him on the grounds by Walter Tatum, who acted as master of ceremonies.

A keg containing 6,000 ballots sold at 25 each. A speech of acceptance was exacted from Mr. Peeler.

The convention today selected Greenville, S. C., as the meeting place for next year. The convention went on record as endorsing the movement for an adjustment of the freight rate question in this State and also passed a resolution demanding that the railroads be compelled to pull mileage on trains in North Carolina and asking that the Legislature enact a law that will accomplish the end desired without creating a situation such as is at present existing in South Carolina.

LONG TRAMPING JOURNEY.

Man Walking From New York to Minneapolis.

Honesdale, Pa., June 7.—Edward Payson Weston, who is walking from New York to Minneapolis, arrived in Hancock, N. Y., at 9:30 tonight after tramping 21 miles since morning. He remained at Hancock tonight and will spend Sunday on a farm near here. Weston left New York last Monday and up to this afternoon had walked about 165 miles.

APPOINTMENT CONFIRMED.

Charles A. Wood Becomes Judge of Court of Appeals.

Richmond, Va., June 7.—Judge Chas. A. Woods, of South Carolina, whose appointment to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fourth District, to succeed Senator Goff, of West Virginia, was confirmed Thursday by the Senate and took the oath of office here today.

INDICTED UNDER ANTI-TRUST LAW

Federal Court Holds Eighteen Officials Under the Sherman Act

DEFENDANTS ARE INDIGNANT

Members of United Mine Workers of America Charged With Entering Conspiracy to Prevent Competition in Fields.

Charleston, W. Va., June 7.—President John P. White and 18 other officials of the United Mine Workers of America were indicted in the Federal court here today on a charge of violating the Sherman anti-trust law. It is alleged the defendants conspired with the coal operators of Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, to raise wages in the West Virginia coal fields, so as to prevent competition with other States.

Those named in the indictment are John P. White, president; Frank J. Hayes, vice president; Thomas Haggerty, Joseph Vazy, James Cantrell, Charles Halley, Marco Roman, Geo. H. Edmonds and Benjamin F. Morris, organizer of the United Mine Workers of America; Thomas Cairns, president; Clarence C. Griffith, vice president; James M. Crago, secretary of district No. 17, United Mine Workers of America, and James Diana, John Nutter, Rome Mitchell, W. S. Reese, F. D. Stanley, U. S. Cantley and A. D. Lavender, subordinate officers of district No. 17.

Conspiracy Charges Denied.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 7.—"It is ridiculous", thus Edwin Perry, secretary and treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America, tonight expressed himself when informed of the indictments returned against the mine workers officials in Charleston, W. Va.

"We have never conspired in any way against the West Virginia operators and have only tried to see that the miners there received fair compensation for their work. In the matter of wages we always were willing to leave it to disinterested parties and were ready to take a reduction in the scale if facts warranted. The West Virginia operators always have fought our attempts to unionize the miners, and we felt that under those conditions it was impossible for the men to receive just wages."

"That's the old, old wail all operators make when they try to keep us from organizing the miners," Frank J. Hayes, vice president of the United Mine Workers of America, exclaimed tonight when told of the indictments returned against the officials of the organization in West Virginia.

The officials visited the West Virginia mining regions about a month ago.

BOY'S IDENTITY QUESTIONED

Investigation of Alleged Kidnapping of Robert Dunbar

New Orleans, June 7.—Further evidence in support of the contention of W. C. Walters that the boy found in his possession at Columbia, Miss., several weeks ago is not Robert Dunbar, who disappeared from his home in Oplousas, La., last August, was introduced at a special hearing to investigate the boy's identity here today. Six witnesses, all residents of Pearl River county, Mississippi, testified that the child recovered from Walters and claimed by C. P. Dunbar, as his missing son, was with the itinerant tinker in that vicinity several weeks before the Dunbar boy's disappearance.

At the sight of only of one of the witnesses did the five-year-old boy, brought here from Oplousas for the hearing show any signs of recognition. When Jeptha Bilbo appeared the child, in reply to a question, said "That's Bilbo." Bilbo testified that Walters and the boy known as Bruce Anderson, spent several days at his home in July, last.

Today's hearing was held at the request of Governor Earl Brewer, of Mississippi, who refused to honor requisition papers from Louisiana for Walters, held at Columbia, suspected with kidnapping Robert Dunbar, until further investigation had been made.

Besides Jeptha Bilbo those who identified the boy today as the same that accompanied Walters last July were Mrs. Jeptha Bilbo, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Goldman and Mr. and Mrs. George Milley.

ARRAIGNED ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Pomaro Charged With Sending "Blackhand" Letter to President

Youngstown, Ohio, June 7.—Guiseppe Pomaro, 35 years old, was arrested here today on the charge of sending a blackhand letter to President Wilson demanding $5,000. It is said Pomaro admits his guilt, giving as a reason that he "just wanted the money."

The letter demanding the money was mailed on May 20th and was immediately turned over to the secret service department. Captain Washer arrived in Youngstown two days ago, and found Pomaro at No. 105 North Wall street. It is said that Pomaro is one of the blackhand band operating in this section.

Cleveland, Ohio, June 7.—Giuseppe Pomaro, arrested at Youngstown, Ohio, today, charged with sending a blackhand letter to President Wilson, was brought here tonight and lodged in the Cuyahoga county jail. Pomaro was taken to Warren, Ohio, this afternoon, and after being arraigned before United States Commissioner Gilmer was placed under $5,000 bond. He was unable to arrange bail.

United States Secreta Service Oparative Washer, who took Pomaro into custody, said tonight that reports that his prisoner had confessed were erroneous.

BRYAN AGAIN FACES JAPANESE PROBLEM

Japan's Latest Note on the California Land Onership Law

PREPARING FOR NEW ISSUES

Secretary Will Consult With Counsellor Moore—General National Relations Considered—Verbal Exchanges.

Washington, June 7.—Secretary Bryan returned from Pittsburg today, and prepared to take up with Counsellor Moore Japan's latest note on the California alien land question.

In the verbal exchanges between the Secretary and Ambassador Chinda, and between the ambassador and President Wilson, the State Department has been to some extent prepared for the newest points made by the Tokio foreign office. But because of their novelty, such as that relating to the 14th amendment, and fine distinctions sought to be drawn between the relative functions of the National and State governments, the rejoinder must be most carefully analyzed before any serious effort can be made to draft a reply.

The administration, however, has no disposition to lay itself open to the charge of procrastination, so Secretary Bryan and President Wilson will almost immediately devote themselves to preparation of a legal argument to cover the Japanese rejoinder as far as that may be done.

Except for the possible adverse effect upon the general relations between the United States and Japan which might follow a refusal by the Senate to sanction renewal of the special arbitration treaty which expires in August, yesterday's proceedings in the executive session of the Senate are not likely to directly affect the present negotiations.

CHARGES ARE SPECIFIC

Lobby Investigating Committee Undisturbed by Senator's Charge

Washington, June 7.—Senators on the Lobby investigating committee were of the opinion today that Senator Townsend's sensational charge that President Wilson himself virtually had been lobbying for the tariff bill, would not be taken up by the committee as an issue unless some specific charges were made.

The committee was in recess today preparing for its next week's work which will not only finish the testimony of the dozen Senators yet unexamined, but will begin questioning the score or more of men whose names have been brought out in testimony as having represented special interests in Washington.

White House officials professed to be undisturbed by Mr. Townsend's charge, and it was said the President would not take the stand to make a personal answer unless some specific charge was made against him. Officials declared Mr. Wilson was confident that the people of the country would take the position that he was representing them in Washington and had the right to use all his influence to further legislation promised in the Democratic platform. It was denied that the ":patronage club" had been wielded to keep Senators in line.

"President Wilson will be welcome before the committee if he desires to appear," said Acting Chairman Reed today, "but I see no reason why he should deny charges that never have been made."

Democratic members took the position that it remained for Republicans to pursue inquiries on whether President Wilson had used "undue influence" with any Democratic Senators, and insisted that the statements by Senators Townsend, Weeks and Warren had been of a general character.

Senators Nelson and Cummins, the Republican members of the committee, had no plans today for following up that line of inquiry.

"I intend, however, to insist before the hearing are over," said Senator Cummins, "that President Wilson furnish the committee with the facts or information upon which he based his statements as to 'insidious lobbying' in Washington."

The list of witnesses for next week was enlarged today by the addition of R. D. Brown, Paris, Texas. Circular letters signed by Bowen as chairman of the "National Farmers' Union Committee on the Greater Consumption of Cotton," were furnished by Senators Ransdell and Kern. These letters urged cotton farmers to "use strong language" with their Senators in favor of higher duties on cotton cloth."

EDITORIAL COMMENTS

English Press Pays Tribute to American Ambassador to Great Britain

London, June 7.—Walter Hines Page, American Ambassador to the Court of St. James, is complimented in editorials appearing in the evening newspapers today on his first speech in England, made last night at the banquet given in his honor by the "Pilgrim's Society." The writers express pleasure that he devoted his speech to cementing the bonds of friendship between the two countries.

The Westminster Gazette says:

"Ambassador Page's speech showed that the United States has succeeded in sending an Ambassador who is more than capable of maintaining the traditional reputation of his office for public speaking. Nothing could have been happier than the note he struck in this first public utterance."

The Pall Mall Gazette says:

"We cannot too cordially reciprocate Ambassador Page's pleasant words."

The Evening Standard says:

"It is good to see the power of the friendly feeling existing between the two nations thus recognized."

IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

BASEBALL - YACHTING - TENNIS - GOLF - MOTORING

YANKEES PULL OUT A WIN

Won Their First Game of Season at Home Yesterday—The Athletics Took 13th Straight—Browns Defeated Senators

For one day at least, the team at the bottom of the American League percentage column gets first mention this morning—and the honor is rightly deserved. Frank Chance and his Peerlessly-led Yankees (who have led by said Chance from an equal standing with the other clubs on April 10th, to probably the lowest position ever occupied by a major league team) perpetrated one of the most desperately bold deeds in all the history of baseball.

The notable occasion was the winning of the first game on the Polo Grounds by the Yanks, after dropping 15 straight games, distributed among the other teams in the league. One of the biggest crowds of the season witnessed the Armageddoning staged by Ray Keating, who was paid high honors for his brilliant and heroic deed, being presented with a floral horseshoe, a loving cup, a silver bat and a diamond ring. It might be added, though, that the victory still leaves the Yanks several points to go before reaching first place, or making any announcement of pitching choice for the first world championship game.

The Philadelphia Athletics annexed their 13th straight win yesterday by defeating St. Louis in the opening game of the series, ten to five, Oldring's hitting being the feature of the game.

The Washington Senators were defeated easily by the Detroit Tigers by the comfortable score of 11 to 1. Groom was knocked out of the box in four innings and Engel was also hit freely. Detroit making hits in every inning.

No, You're Awake

New York, June 7.—Frank Chance today saw his New York American League team win its first home victory. A big crowd witnessed a brilliant tussle between the locals and Chicago and rose as one man and cheered when Peckinpaugh's hit in the ninth scored Helder with the winning run.

It was "Keating" day at the grounds and a thousand of the young pitcher's fellow townsmen from Bridgeport, Conn., were at the game accompanied by a band. Keating was presented with a floral horseshoe, a loving cup, a silver bat and a diamond ring. Mayor Wilson, of Bridgeport, made the presentation address. Managers Chance and Callahan and Pitcher Walsh, of the visitors, were presented with floral pieces.

Chicago	0	0	0	1	0
New York	0	0	0	3	7
	0	0	0	2	1
	0	0	0	2	3
	0	0	0	0	0

Walsh and Schalk; Keating and Sweney. Time 3:02. Umpires, Egan and Evans.

Athletics' 13th Straight

Philadelphia, June 7.—Philadelphia won their 13th consecutive victory today by defeating St. Louis in the opening game of the series by a score of 10 to 5.

Oldring's hitting was the feature of the game. In five times at bat he walked twice, hammered out a home run and made a triple and a single.

St. Louis	0	1	0	0	4
Philadelphia	3	0	0	5	2
	0	0	0	0	5
	0	0	2	1	0

Adams, Weilman and Agnew; Bush, Brown and Lapp. Time 2:11. Umpires, Ferguson and Dineen.

Senators Easy

Washington, June 7.—Detroit easily defeated Washington today 11 to 1. Groom, for Washington, was batted out of the box in four innings and Engel was hit freely, Detroit making one or more hits in each inning. Dauss pitched gilt-edged ball for Detroit.

Detroit	1	4	0	2	0
Washington	0	0	0	1	1

Dauss and McKee; Groom, Engel and Henry. Time 1:55. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Hildebrand.

Peerless Leader's First Home Victory

Frank Chance saw his Yankees win their first victory of the season at home yesterday afternoon, young Ray Keating being the hero on the mound.

∴ STANDING OF THE TEAMS ∴

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	35	10	.778
Cleveland	34	13	.723
Washington	25	21	.543
Chicago	26	23	.531
Boston	20	24	.455
Detroit	19	31	.380
St. Louis	20	33	.377
New York	10	34	.227

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	26	12	.684
New York	23	17	.575
Brooklyn	22	18	.550
Chicago	23	22	.511
Pittsburg	22	23	.489
St. Louis	20	25	.444
Boston	16	24	.400
Cincinnati	17	28	.378

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At New York 3; Chicago 2.
At Philadelphia 10; St. Louis 5.
At Washington 1; Detroit 11.
At Boston-Cleveland, rain.

At St. Louis 8; New York 9.
At Pittsburg 0; Philadelphia 6.
At Chicago 9; Boston 6.
At Cincinnati-Brooklyn, rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

No Games Scheduled.

New York at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
Boston at St. Louis.

IN THE MINORS

Southern League.

At Atlanta- Chattanooga, rain.
At New Orleans 3; Memphis 4.
At Nashville 2; Birmingham 4.
At Mobile-Montgomery, rain.

Appalachian League.

At Knoxville 3; Bristol 2.
At Johnson City 1; Rome 1; (called in 8th, rain.)

American Association.

At Louisville 2; Columbus 1.
2nd: Louisville 0; Columbus 3.
At Kansas City 2; St. Paul 3.
At Milwaukee 6; Minneapolis 0.
At Indianapolis 6; Toledo 9; (10 innings.)

Virginia League.

At Petersburg-Portsmouth, rain.
At Richmond-Norfolk, rain.
At Newport News 2; Roanoke 4.
2nd: Newport News 3; Roanoke 1.

South Atlantic League.

At Charleston 1; Jacksonville 0.
2nd: Charleston 0; Jacksonville 2.

International League.

At Baltimore 4; Providence 7.
2nd: Baltimore 6; Providence 18.
At Toronto 18; Buffalo 4.
2nd: Toronto 4; Buffalo 3.
At Montreal 3; Rochester 5.
At Jersey City-Neward, rain.

College Games.

At West Point: Army 10; Syracuse 4.
At Cambridge: Harvard-Brown, called off, rain.
At Princeton 0; Yale 0; (called in sixth, rain.)

CAROLINA LEAGUE

Results Yesterday

At Asheville 6; Greensboro 4.
At Raleigh 1; Winston 9.
At Durham 4; Charlotte 1.

Standing of the Teams

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Raleigh	23	16	.590
Charlotte	19	17	.528
Winston	21	17	.553
Durham	20	17	.541
Asheville	16	22	.421
Greensboro	14	24	.368

DAVIS CUP TENNIS MATCH

Australian Team Defeats United States Pair in Doubles

New York, June 7.—Playing tennis that ran the gamut from sensational to mediocre, the Australian team defeated the United States pair in the doubles match of the Davis cup preliminary tie today by a score of 2-6, 6-2, 5-7, 6-3, 9-7.

The victory gave the visitors their first match of the series which now stands: United States, 2; Australia, one.

On Monday the two remaining single matches will be played and while America needs one match the Australians must win both to secure entrance into the second round to be played in England next month.

For thrills and excitement no Davis cup tennis match played in this country heretofore equalled that of today. The United States pinned its faith to Maurice E. McLoughlin and Harold H. Hackett, while the island continent's representatives were Stanley N. Doust and A. B. Jones.

For five full sets these players battled back and forth, first one pair obtaining the advantage only to lose it a moment later to their opponents. Dashingt individual play was nullified by wretched lack of team work and marvelous "gets" made only to be cancelled by stupid plays a moment later.

GAME AT TEACHEY'S

Wallace Baseball Team Was Defeated Yesterday, Score 8 to 7

(By Long Distance 'Phone.)

Teachey's, N. C., June 7.—In an interesting game of baseball here this afternoon the local team defeated Wallace by a score of 8 to 7. The game at times was very exciting. Three hundred people witnessed the contest. It was a pitchers' battle between Fussell and Hussey, and was featured by the batting of Wells and S. R. Turner, of the locals. Batteries: Teachey's, Fussell and Turner; Wallace, Hussey and Boney. Umpire, J. C. Turner.

Children's Day Monday at Carolina Beach. Music by Johnson-Scelzi Orchestra. Only 10 cents round trip, children and adults. Spend a day with the kids at the safest beach on the South Atlantic. Watch it develop. (Advertisement.)

Have your eyes tested by Dr. Vineberg, the Eye Specialist, Masonic Temple. You will save time and money. (Advertisement.)

PHILLIES BLANKED PIRATES

Took Opening Game of Series Six to Nothing—Giants Won from Cardinals—Cubs Won From Boston Braves.

The Pittsburg Pirates, with Camnitz in the box, dropped the opening game of the series to the Phillies yesterday 6 to 0. Camnitz, who started the game, did not linger long on the mound, four runs put across in the first inning by the Phillies being eloquent arguments for his removal. O'Toole, who was invited to continue operations for the Buccaneers, pitched fine ball, but too late to repair the damage already done. Mayer, for the Phillies, held the Pirates to three scattered hits, and struck out Hans Wagner twice.

The New York Giants took five of their big numbers on the mound to win the opening game from the St. Louis Cardinals yesterday, winding up with the peerless Matty, after Marquard, Fromme, Demaree and Crandall had fallen by the wayside in succession. New York won the game in the eighth stanza with two singles, two doubles and a triple, netting four runs.

The Boston Braves continued the downward path, dropping yesterday's contention to the Chicago Cubs. Reulbach started the game for Chicago, but wildness, coupled with severaly lusty clouts caused him to be banished in favor of Leifield, but when the visitors started another rally in the ninth, Cheney was called on for help.

Usual Result for Phillies.

Pittsburg, June 7.—Mayer held Pittsburg to three scattered hits today while Philadelphia landed on Camnitz for four runs in the first inning. O'Toole, who relieved Camnitz, pitched fine ball. Mayer fanned Hans Wagner twice.

Philadelphia	4	0	0	0	1
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	3

Mayer and Dooin; Camnitz, O'Toole, Ferry and Simon; time 1:37; umpires O'Day and Emslie.

Giants Fought Hard.

St. Louis, June 7.—Although St. Louis forced New York to use five pitchers, the visitors won 9 to 8. The game was St. Louis' up to the eighth inning when two singles, two doubles, and a triple gave New York four runs and the game.

New York	0	2	0	3	4
St. Louis	0	0	5	1	2
	0	0	0	8	1
	0	0	0	9	6

Harmon, Burk and McLean; Marquard, Fromme, Demaree, Crandall, Mathewson and Meyers; time 2:15; umpires Klem and Orth.

Braves Drop Still Another.

Chicago, June 7.—Tyler's wildness in the fifth inning enabled Chicago to defeat Boston today 9 to 6. Reulbach started for Chicago, but was wild and was replaced by Leifield who in turn gave way to Richie and when the visitors started a rally in the ninth, Cheney was called to the rescue.

Boston	4	1	0	0	0
Chicago	0	0	0	9	8
	0	0	0	6	9
	0	0	0	9	8

Tyler and Whaling; Richie, Cheney, Reulbach, Leifield and Bresnahan and Archer; time 1:55; umpires Rigler and Byron.

COBB RETAINS TITLE.

"Ty" Increases His Average—Comparison of Records.

Chicago, June 7.—Ty Cobb, of the Detroit Americans, has increased his average to .450 and retains the title of premier of both major leagues, according to unofficial figures given out today. Joe Jackson, of Cleveland, is second in the American League, with an average of .439, while Eddie Collins, of Philadelphia, is third with .387.

There is Speaker, of Boston, who is fourth on the list, his record being .381. Nineteen players are batting over the .300 mark.

In the National League 18 players are batting over the .300 mark, with C. McDonald, of Boston, leading with a mark of .450. Cravath, of Philadelphia, is second with .411; Wagner, of Pittsburg, third, with .362, and Hyatt, Pittsburg, fourth, with .360.

Providence, R. I., June 7.—Walter H. Snell, captain and catcher of the Brown University baseball team, signed today with the Philadelphia club of the American League. He will report June 20th. During his four years at Brown, Snell has batted 300 and missed only two full games.

Honor Paid Him

Pitcher Ed Walsh, of the Chicago White Sox, was the recipient of a handsome floral piece presented by the New York fans yesterday at the game which he dropped to the Yankees, their first local victory.

A SUCCESSFUL IMPERSONATION.

Wealthy Rancher Eludes Death by Donning Female Apparel.

Douglas, Ariz., June 7.—George Bogartis, a Mexican-American rancher of wealth, attributes his personal safety and the possession of his money to his success at feminine impersonation. He arrived here today to relate how by donning woman's clothes he escaped bandits who had demanded his money.

Captured near Opulo, Sonora, Bogartis was ordered to pay $5,000 for his life. He took the bandits to his ranch house and told them to wait outside while he fetched the money. In the house he put on woman's clothing and secreting his money, passed through the picket lines which had been placed about the premises. The bandits doffed their big hats as the supposed woman passed and the rancher safely made his way to the border, depositing his money in a bank here.

Dr. C. Dussart, secretary of Sinaloa State, met here today with the Constitutionalist committee after which it was announced that Governor Felipe Rivera will not be reinstated as Governor of Sinaloa. Rivera at the time of Madero's downfall, was taken a prisoner to Mexico City where he escaped to Havana. He has agreed to act under the present constitutionalist Governor of his State.

Conferences held at Nogales, Sonora, between Governor Pesqueira and officials of the Banco De Sonora, have led to a decision to re-open the banking institution which was closed some months ago on the arrest of Max Muller, its manager. Muller has been released and his misunderstanding with the State officials has been settled.

REGAINS GOLF TITLE.

Jerome D. Travers Wins Three Up and One to Play.

Short Hills, N. J., June 7.—Jerome D. Travers, of Upper Montclair, N. J., holder of the National and Metropolitan Amateur Golf championships, regained the New Jersey State golf title, which he has now won four times, by defeating last year's winner, Oswald Kirby, of Englewood, at the Baltusrol Golf Club today.

Travers won by three up and one to play, finishing the 36-hole match during a terrific rain and thunderstorm which converted the putting greens into miniature lakes. During the first round Kirby held his opponent safely and was three up at the 18th green. It was not until the pair had reached the 15th green on the second round that Travers took the lead.

The storm broke furiously at that stage and almost blinded the players. Kirby's ball went into a brook on the second shot for the 16th and he simply floundered, while Travers plodded on, winning the 16th hole in 8 to 9, the figures being approximated. Getting the better drive from the 17th tee, Travers won the hole in 4 to 5 and the match 3 up and 1 to play.

New York, June 7.—Foxhall Keen, champion of the newly selected polo team, broke his collar bone today in a practice game at Meadow Brook. The accident will require the selection of another member of the American team.

BASEBALL AT DELGADO.

Two Interesting Games Were Played Yesterday Afternoon.

In an interesting game of baseball yesterday afternoon the Delgado boys defeated the Wrightsboro team, the score being 2 and 0. The game was played at Delgado. It was featured by the pitching of Holt, for Delgado, he allowing only two hits. At the conclusion of this game the Wrightsboro and Immanuel Athletic Association teams crossed bats, the score this time being 8 to 6 in favor of Wrightsboro. The Delgado team challenges any amateur ball team of the city for a game.

Winoca Terrace

The owners of WINOCA TERRACE realize that the value of this property is steadily and rapidly increasing.

The work is now underway on the new Seven Thousand Dollar Culvert—which will entirely cover Macomber's Ditch, for its length, and make Fourteenth Street passable and open for vehicles and people. This was started by Mr. DeRossett a few days ago and will be rapidly pushed to completion.

Think what this means to WI-NOCA and this vicinity.

Only last week the City Council decided to improve Rankin Street. This was badly needed and the Council's action is a wise one. The improving of this Street will aid WINOCA TERRACE as it happens to be WINOCA'S Northern boundary and will make a belt line of fine Streets.

Notice the class of houses exacted at WINOCA. These are a credit to any Street.

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(advertisement.)

For Sale

We have in stock at the machinery yard, Lingo City, for prompt delivery, 187 pulleys, 400 feet shafting, 21 saw mandrels, 68 collars, 270 boxes, 45 hangers, 10 saws, 1,000 mill files, one edger, two rip saw machines, one lathe machine, one fertilizer mixer, one drag saw, two shingle machines, one jointer, three knife grinders, nine log hauls, 96 gears, 82 sprockets, 200 feet of chain, 16 pumps, 12 engines, 14 boilers, and a complete line of general mill machinery and supplies. We invite you to inspect this before buying.

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CRUSHED BY LOCOMOTIVE

Woman Meets Frightful Death on Railroad Bridge

Roanoke, Va., June 7.—Caught on a railroad bridge when within ten feet of its landing and safely, Mrs. Horace O'Brien, mother of several children, was literally cut to pieces today when she was struck by the New York-Memphis special westbound, on the Norfolk & Western Railroad, near Pulaski, Va.

A woman companion jumped from the bridge and escaped uninjured. In attempting a similar jump, Mrs. O'Brien stumbled and fell in front of the "Flyer" and was frightfully mangled, her limbs, head and trunk being severed.

Cambridge, Mass., June 7. — The Rev. James I. T. Coolidge, the oldest living graduate of Harvard College, is lying at the point of death at his home here. He is 95 years old and was graduated from Harvard in the class of 1836.

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EQUAL CHANCE FOR ALL

No lucky number will win this car. Simply sign a nomination blank and have a particular number assigned to you, and then boost for your number among your relatives, friends and acquaintances. Have them patronize our store and save the coupons for you. The rules are simple. The chance costs you nothing. An opportunity for any hustling man, woman or child to secure a prize that will give life-long joy and pleasure.

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NO PUBLICITY

Nomination blanks can be clipped from this circular, or can be obtained at our place of business. Upon receipt of your nomination, you will have a particular number assigned to you. The published bulletins of all contestants will be by number only, thus avoiding any publicity to your name. All votes received will at once be entered in a voting register, and immediately after the close of contest, the winner will be announced, and the prize awarded.

Sign Blank—Get Particulars

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We do not expect to recover the expense of this contest through a greater per cent of profit, but through a larger volume of business. We expect the larger volume of business to more than offset the cost, and it will be our earnest endeavor to give you even more for your money in the future than we have in the past. If you are not in the contest, make some relative, friend, or acquaintance happy by saving your coupons for them. DON'T THROW THEM AWAY.

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Place to my credit 2,000 votes and notify me what my number will be. Also send me full particulars how I can win the Howard Automobile.

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WEEK'S NEWS IN LUMBERTON

Too Much Rain for Crops—Tax Rate Reduced—Federal Appointments —Other News Notes of Interest from Robeson

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., June 7.—If the rains which have been falling throughout this section for the past several days should continue long it looks as if the farmers would be overrun with grass in many places.

All crops are reported to be growing fine, and in spite of all efforts to keep it down the grass is keeping up with everything else. Since the rains have come home-raised vegetables of all kinds are getting to be plentiful and reasonable in price. We saw one farmer in town yesterday with a load of string beans and he said it kept him busy to keep them picked and marketed. That is only one case, there are many others.

In quoting from an article in the Charlotte Observer of the week before, The Star last Sunday contained one of Editor Wade Harriss' items which began by saying, "It was in 1903 that the Bank of New Hanover failed." If Editor Harris is correct in that statement we are all at sea as to dates. Our recollection is that the Bank of New Hanover failed during the 90's. We experienced some things in connection with the death of the bank that made a deep impression on our mind that is still there.

At its regular meeting held Tuesday night, the Board of Town Commissioners among the business transacted, reduced the town tax rate 13 cents on the $100 property valuation and 37 cents on the poll. The tax rate for this year will be $1.33 per $100 on property and $3.99 poll. Those who are liable for taxes may as well be ready when the time comes because Redfern is well nigh perfect when it comes to collecting taxes.

The First National Bank of Lumberton has been designated as a United States depository for government funds. The First National is one of the financial institutions where we would not be afraid to put our surplus change if we had any. But so with all the dozen banks in the county.

Mr. W. K. Bethune, for the past several years business manager of The Robesonian, has landed a government position in Washington, having been appointed by Congressman Godwin to a clerkship to the committee on reform in the civil service. We congratulate Mr. Bethune. Another newspaper man in this county has struck luck also, the editor of the Fairmont Messenger having been appointed postmaster of that town. It would be no surprise to hear that Editor Harker had been given the postoffice at Maxton or some other good job. Mr. Bethune, two years ago, if we mistake not, was strongly opposed to Mr. Godwin; we do not recall how The Messenger man was last year, but we do remember how Mr. Harker stood. But if all the editors in the district were given good political jobs, the present Congressman will never be able again to cinch Robeson.

Master Stephen McIntyre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McIntyre, who was painfully but not seriously hurt in a runaway Wednesday afternoon, is rapidly recovering and will soon be all right again. The family horse, which is regularly driven by any member of the family, for some unknown cause, dashed off and succeeded in wrecking the buggy and running against a tree when young McIntyre was throw out and hurt.

It would be no surprise to some people if a big whale should be discovered in some of the 2x4 frog ponds in this county. Some one has reported a shark in a canal used by the Butters Lumber Company. It was a small one though, only estimated seven feet long. We have heard of brands that made men see snakes, but never heard of one that would change a wandering 'gator into a shark.

A site agent sent out by the Postoffice Department will be here Monday to locate a site for the proposed government building to be erected in Lumberton. Ten thousand dollars, it is understood, has been appropriated to buy a lot for this purpose. Now when will the money be appropriated and available for the building? It will be surprising if a portion of it doesn't be appropriated next year.

Last Saturday an elderly-looking lady struck town, and secured a room at one place and meals at another, saying she would be in town for a week or two. She said she was doing some kind of mission work, was sent out by some charitable institution, but she is the first missionary we ever saw that did not attend services at some church on Sunday. While on her rounds she tried to sell different gentlemen a half interest in a patent device for keeping wagons from running down hill, but had no success. If she had something to keep vehicles out of mud holes during rainy weather it might create some interest. But Thursday morning the good lady departed without saying good-bye to either landlady where she had been stopping. Her baggage consisted of a small hand satched and an umbrella. Her board and lodging bills were merely contributions to missions, or that is the way it seems. Inquiries at the railroad station created the impression that she left via the "ankle route."

The old Redmond home on Elm street, between Seventh and Eighth, for some time occupied by Mr. Lucas and family, and the Misses Humphrey, is being vacated. We understand Mr. Lucas is moving to East Arcadia, but have not learned where the Misses Humphrey will reside. Some minor repairs will be made on the building, after which Mr. C. B. Redmond and family will move into it about July 1st.

There has been a whole lot of talk in town about so much typhoid fever. The Star man called upon the town physician for the purpose of learning just what conditions were, and he stated that he knew of one case among the white population, and three or four among the colored people, one case of the latter having proved fatal. Can't sensation howlers find some true stories to tell that will not hurt the town? Just try it!

Supt. Pittman, of the light plant, has given notice regarding light bills which it would be well for our people using lights to heed. He says that hereafter all lights will be cut out at the time prescribed if the bills due are not paid, and some of them are now more than a month behind. Just as well remember this, as Mr. Pittman declares his notice is no fake.

Mrs. Thad. W. Bullock and little daughter left this week for Bonlee and High Point, where they will spend a month visiting. They will probably spend part of the time in Greensboro.

Mrs. A. E. White, who returned from Baltimore, where she had been for treatment, a few days ago, is steadily improving and her many friends hope in a short time to see her restored to good health.

Col. A. B. Small has been appointed town sanitary or health officer and is now engaged in finding who has and who has not installed waterworks. There is a new ordinance here which takes in nearly everybody in town, and the new administration declares that all who are in the prescribed limit had as well get busy and have the work done without further delay.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Townsend returned the first of the week from Hot Springs, Ark., where they spent about a month with Mr. Townsend's brother, who has resided in that city for several years. Mr. Townsend says they had a great trip, enjoying it very much. While in conversation with him we asked him if he visited any of the picture shows while away and if he found any of them any better than what he was used to at home. He said he went to all kinds of good shows in Hot Springs but saw no better than he saw here. In Atlanta they visited what was said to be the best picture show in the city, but that the picutres were no better than those in Lumberton. This sounds like an advertisement, but it isn't, it is just to show our people that they have as good as is to be had, and they all know that Mr. Townsend is a truthful man.

Unless all signs fail, Lumberton is going to have the biggest 4th of July in its history. The different committees are on their jobs, and will leave nothing undone to make it a grand success. It is proposed to have an airship as a feature attraction. Then there will be a good band of music, and other attractions too numerous to mention. That will be Robeson County Day, and every citizen in the county is urged to participate.

Gen. and Mrs. F. A. Bond, left this week for Washington, D. C., where Gen. Bond expects to have an operation performed, made necessary by an old wound received during the Civil War. From Washington they will go on to their Summer home in Maryland, returning here in the early Fall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Britt, returned last night from Marion, N. C., where they had been visiting relatives of Mrs. Britt.

The appointment of Mr. D. D. French having been confirmed as postmaster at Lumberton, it is supposed that it will only be a short time until he will assume control of the postoffice.

Mr. J. J. Cherry for some time with the Pope Drug Company but resigned the first of the month and returned to his home in Raleigh Monday, was called back to Lumberton Wednesday to take a position with the Lumberton Drug Company. Lumberton's three drug stores were never under more efficient management than now, and if they'll just arrange some Sunday hours it will be appreciated by a great many of their friends.

The first Florida watermelons of the season were offered for sale here yesterday. We are suffering with a little shortness of breath and would not take the risk of asking the price.

Ex-Postmaster McCaskill and Manager Lambert, of the Dixie Theatre in Fayetteville, got into a row a few nights ago over the possession of the playhouse and are cited to be in Lumberton Monday week to tell their troubles to Judge Ferguson. Mr. McCaskill owns the building and Mr. Lambert says his lease is not out.

Mr. A. B. Small received a card from Bladenboro this morning telling him of the critical illness of his sister, Mrs. Appy Edwards, of that place, who was found by the roadside Thursday, having suffered a stroke of paralysis. Mrs. Edwards will be 81 years old next month. Mr. Small left on the morning train for Bladenboro.

The condition of Miss Epsie Fuller, who has been sick of fever for the past three weeks, was reported this morning as slightly improved and doing as well as could be expected.——Mr. A. T. Parmele, who has been very sick since Wednesday night, is reported as very much better.

Mr W. L. Pate, for the past several years section master on the Lumberton section of the V & C. S., resigned his position the first of the month and left this week with his family for Wilmington where they will spend some time Mr Pate has not yet decided where he will locate.

Miss Elizabeth Beck, who has been in the millinery department of Messrs R. D. Caldwell & Sons' big department store for several seasons, will leave for her home in New York Monday, the season having closed Miss Drye, who has also held a position in the same place for several seasons, will leave about the middle of the week During their stay in Lumberton these ladies have made many friends who will regret to learn that they do not expect to return next season.

The Recorder's court was opened up for business Wednesday morning when one little case was disposed of, the defendant paying the costs Another session was held this morning when two or three cases were disposed of. Maxton started the business right by giving a woman a job on the roads for a whole year.

Mr. Justin McNeill, for several years a popular salesman with Mr. L. H. Caldwell, and Miss Ethel Williamson, of Parkton, were married at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Williamson, in that town; Wednesday night at 9 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Berryhill performing the ceremony. The happy couple left on a Southern trip. They will reside in Lumberton.

Messrs. C. H. Cartee & Co., of Winston-Salem, have rented the new brick store just south of the Waverly Hotel, which was erected and is nearing completion, by Mr. N. P. Andrews. It is understood that the firm will operate a 5, 10, 15 and 25 cent store, and it is expected that it will be opened by July 1st.

Mr. Albert Frieman, who resigned three weeks ago, the position of pianist at the picture show, is wearing a justified broad smile. He will in a few days receive his share of his father's estate in Germany, something over $3,000 in U. S. money. In fact, he has already received a portion of it. Besides the cash he has fallen heir to the home, which contains four acres of land, with nine-room building, located in one of the best towns in his native land.

Messrs. Jennings and Gray have answered one of our questions of last Sunday as to whether or not the sewerage of the two cotton mills above town emptied into the river. They say that the sewerage from the Jennings mill goes through a process of cleansing before it reaches the river which has been approved by the State Board of Health, making the water pure before reaching the river. But they would not like to drink the water from the river.

That pretty, playful bull dog, the property of Mr. Jas. L. Williamson, is all out of style. He wears a muzzle while all other dogs in town are making fun of him because he has to keep his mouth shut.

Well-diggers were engaged today in putting down a new-flowing well at the Seaboard passenger station. Early this morning they had reached a depth of 80 feet. The old well has been abandoned.

Young foxes are bringing fancy prices here. Juddie Moore, merchant, corner Fourth and Chesnut streets, purchased three a few days ago for which he says he paid $7.50. One of them has already died. Sometime last Winter Juddie bought another hide for $12.50, which was valued at less than 25 cents.

Season tickets are now on sale here for Wrightsville Beach, the round-trip rate being $3.45, tickets on sale any day. The Summer rate to Asheville is $12.65 for the round-trip.

EAST CAROLINA FINALS

Teachers' Training School Commencement Began Last Night

Greenville, N. C., June 7.—Bishop Collins Denny will preach the commencement address at the East Carolina Teachers' Training School at 11 A. M. Sunday. Rev. W. E. Cox, of Wilmington, a native of Pitt county, will preach the sermon to the Y. W. C. A. Sunday evening. A musical tonight by the pupils in the music department began the commencement exercises. Monday morning at 10 o'clock the Class Day exercises will be held. The alumni will hold a business meeting on Monday afternoon and a banquet in the evening. At 10:30 A. M. Tuesday the commencement address will be delivered by Mr. Henry A. Page, of Aberdeen.

At the close of the graduating exercises on Tuesday morning, the Edgar Allen Poe and Sidney Lanier Literary societies will present the school with portraits of Governor T. J. Jarvis and Mr. W. H. Ragsdale, the two founders of the school. These were painted by Mr. Jacques Busbee, of Raleigh. The board of trustees will meet at 11 o'clock Monday morning.

MONEY THAT WENT BEGGING

One of the Most Curious Cases in the History of the Chancery Courts.

Perhaps there is no more curious chapter in the history of the chancery courts than that of two Pittsburgh men. The first had a claim to a small estate abroad, but he did not have the money to pay the claim agency to make a search. So he got a friend to back him. This friend's name was Peterman, and the money he advanced was like a grubstake—he was gambling on his friend's claim proving up. One day, when Peterman was at the claim-agency office, he came upon this advertisement in the agency files: "Peterman (Albertus), musician, born in Amsterdam, 1829, son of Charles Frederick and Henrietta Suzanna Gasman. Left for Liverpool, 1856. He is sought for inheritance by M. Contot, advocat, 21 Boulevard St. Germain, Paris." That was the inception of the famous "Kinsey docks" case, the name coming from the fact that the original Peterman was last seen at the Kinsey docks in Liverpool. The claim agency took the matter in hand, traced Peterman's lineage back, and enabled him to establish a good claim to an inheritance of $200,000. That was a case of fortune being thrust upon a man.—Lewis Edwin Theiss, in Harper's Weekly.

Told In Wilmington

A Resident Known to All Our Readers Relates An Experience

Readers of The Star have been told again and again of the merits of that reliable, time-proved kidney remedy—Doan's Kidney Pills. The experiences told are not those of unknown persons, living far away. The cases are Wilmington cases, told by Wilmington people.

Mrs. W. W. Mintz, 712 Vollers St., Wilmington, N. C., says: "For a long time kidney trouble clung to me and I was caused great annoyance by the kidney secretions. My back ached and I did not seem able to get a minute's peace. Some days I was hardly able to move around to do my work. At last I got a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills from Bellamy's Drug Store, and they restored me to good health. I can still speak highly of Doan's Kidney Pills and recommend them as being good for kidney trouble."

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Dated May 23, 1913.

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A wonderful assortment of Mid-Summer Dresses consisting of Ratines, Voiles, Linens, Batistes, Tissues and Eponges. These goods are the new arrivals just from the leading New York manufacturers and are without a doubt the very best and most attractive styles ever shown by any firm in this city. As to the price, which is equally as important as the goods themselves, you may rest assured that with our facilities of handling merchandise, selling goods in large quantities and thereby buying the same way, therefore getting the very lowest prices on the goods we sell we can well afford to sell them again at a much lower price than the merchant buying in smaller quantities.

Monday's Sale of House Dresses

We are putting on sale about Two Hundred House Dresses that we are quite aware are worth from $1.50 to $2.00 each. In order to clear them out in a hurry, we are offering same at ..... **98c Each**

Better Grades of House Dresses Sale

Another lot of House Dresses, consisting of Linens, Ginghams and a good many better materials, worth anywhere from $2.50 to $3.50, will be sold for Monday's Sale at ..... **$1.75 Each**

Monday's Sale of Linen and Eponge Suits

Have about Thirty Linen and Eponge Suits, well tailored, and all of them Manufacturers' Samples made to retail from $15.00 to $20.00 each. We are going to offer them for Monday's (alterations free of charge), at, a Suit **$10.00**

ALTERATIONS FREE OF CHARGE.

MONDAY'S SALE of SILK WAISTS

Have just received about ten dozen of the much in vogue Habitai Silks in stripes and also in solid black for mourning wear. These waists are for Genuine Summer Wear, with the latest graduated low-cut Robespierre lines collar and three-quarters sleeves. We have them in all sizes, and they would be very cheap at $2.50, but we will offer same for Monday's Sale at ..... **$1.75 Each**

Monday's Sale of Night Gowns

Another assortment of Night Gowns just received. These goods are some of our newest purchases, and are goods that are well worth from $1.25 to $1.50. Will offer same for Monday's Sale at ..... **98c Each**

Monday's Remnant Sale of Batiste Waists

For the past few weeks we have had an assortment of Waists on sale at 98c that were well worth from $1.50 to $2.00. Naturally these goods are now all picked over and while there are as yet a good many very clever styles in the assortment that would bring their original prices, we wish to clear them out entirely, and will offer them at ..... **75c Each**

Monday's Sale of Surplus Stock of LINEN SKIRTS

The much-talked-of Linen Skirts that we have been selling for the past few weeks at 98c will be offered for Monday's Sale, to close out what surplus stock we have on hand at .... **75c Each**

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If you have trouble or difficulties of any kind, come to me and have a quiet chat, confidentially. I will tell you what can be done. I assist you in all walks of life. Don't be despondent, worry or feel bad, when you only have to call.

Now, as a business adviser, I stand pre-eminent. I will tell you more about your own business than you know yourself. If you are not doing well, and want to do better, call.

If, at the end of the year, you are no better off than when it started, there is a cause for that. You don't want to troble yourself in old age, and did not save anything, or could not. See me now, to prevent that horrible poverty.

You don't want to be single. Happy marriage and a pleasant home is what you want. I arrange that for you speedily.

Have you domestic difficulties? Is your wife, husband or sweetheart untrue? Do others share the love that rightfully belongs to you? If so, don't hesitate. Call quick, before too late.

Are you seeking separation, divorce, or have you other legal troubles, or want to get advice on the subject? I am the person to consult.

If you speculate or invest, I can lead you to prosperity.

Have you bad luck or an evil influence over you? I remove that at once.

I advise you as to your future welfare, tell you what to do and what not to do. Many of my clients have gained fame and wealth through my guidance.

Satisfaction is positively guaranteed. No fee accepted in advance. If you are not satisfied, no fee is accepted. Is not that honest? Could anything be more fair? A pleased patron brings his friends. My motto is: I must satisfy you first.

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FULL ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.

Suday, June 8, 1913.

A woman is subtle; a man is crafty.

A running account generally outruns the bill collector.

Get your tickets to Wilmington and enjoy yourself like everybody else.

It is the men who make a city. The city rarely ever makes the man.

No girl can be as pretty as a picture unless she is always in a good frame of mind.

The Chicago man who married Miss Fuss will be lucky if she is not inclined to be fussy.

A boy corn grower who wins a prize gets paid because of his success. Success always gets something on the side.

Maxton seems to be somewhere in the vicinity of Queensdale. When a vote is taken in Maxton the Macs "have it."

Ambassador Chinda has Chinda great deal with Secretary Bryan about the way California acts towards the Japs.

Some of the stock held by some Congressmen is enough to convince them that some lobbyists are too darned insidious.

A lobbyist may be either considerate or insidious. President Wilson seems to know where most of the lobbyists are at this time.

Being a straight, honest man pays so much better than being a crook that men ought to make an effort to keep from being crooked.

The magazine writer who says "poets are declining" doesn't know what he is talking about. We have never seen a poet decline anything.

Men have to work for a living. A man can make more by his work around Wilmington than he can elsewhere, hence living is easier and better.

Men will walk 20 blocks to get a cheese sandwich and a bottle of beer. It should be stated, however, that the cheese sandwich has nothing to do with it.

What has become of the old fashioned editor who used to wind up a controversy in this way: "Let the galled jade wince! Our withers are unwrung."

If there weren't any lobbyists in Washington the country would be more surprised than if it could be proven that a few there are insidious and pernicious.

It's a cold day when hot shot are not poured into Mayor Gaynor, of New York. Nevertheless, Mayor Gaynor doesn't lose any time in calling his detractors a lot of liars and scandal mongers.

Paul Hellieu, the eminent French painter, says America has more beautiful women than any other country in the world. In behalf of the women of Wilmington, we thank him for their share of the compliment.

We have often heard about "the decadence of the Senate" but we do not believe it is so decadent as not to know lobbyists when they are in Washington doing the best they can and canning some of the best while they are at it.

Says the Columbia State: "A Milwaukee man laughed 16 hours at a joke. Somebody must have praised the Charleston waffle to him." Else he got a glimpse of the gourd-like inside of what Editor George Bailey, of the Houston Post, insidiously refers to as "The Texas watermelon."

An Italian physician claims to have discovered the cause of pellagra in water. It should be stated, however, that all who are on the waterwagon should sit hard in the boat till it can be proven that water of any kind is less dangerous when alcohol is mixed with it and flavored with mint.

The Charlotte Chronicle says the farmers of North Carolina are using 100,000 tons more fertilizers than they did last year. They are determined to keep up North Carolina's record for producing more cotton per acre than any other cotton growing State. The farmers are doing their part to put North Carolina on the map.

Wilmington is a port of great possibilities. A possibility is what can be done but it can exist for a thousand years and be of no advantage unless somebody actually does the possible thing. It is possible for Wilmington to export furniture and manufactured tobacco, but if neither finished product is exported what does the possibility amount to?

Says the New York World: "Chicago dry goods merchants feel cheerful over the largest business in their history. But Chicago is a thousand miles away from Wall Street's atmosphere of gloom." With the crop prospects good and demand practically greater than the supply, Wall Street's gloom is the only cloud on the horizon. Wall Street's gloom is for a purpose, and the Street is managing to scatter it in the midst of prosperity. All the pessimism in this country originates in Wall Street and after it takes effect in the country, Wall Street has to do some hard work to restore the confidence it has purposely or unwittingly undermined.

TOURISTS USING THE CLYDE LINE.

Some time ago The Star urged the construction of the Wilmington-to-Pinehurst Highway on the ground that Northern tourists at Southern Pines and Pinehurst could reach those resorts through the port of Wilmington. With a good road, the tourists could come to Wilmington by steamer, bring their automobiles on board and motor through the country to their destination. When the season breaks up at the resorts they could motor to Wilmington, put their cars aboard the New York steamers and return to their Northern homes.

It has remained for Dr. A. McNeill Blair, of Southern Pines, to show that Southern tourists going North to spend the Summer can use the port of Wilmington during the Summer. When the Clyde Line steamship sailed for New York yesterday she carried Dr. Blair's car, in charge of his chauffeur. Mr. G. S. Burleigh, of Southern Pines, accompanied by the chauffeur, drove the machine to Wilmington and in a few minutes it was on board a couple of hours before the steamer sailed yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Burleigh left Southern Pines at 3:30 P. M. Friday, and reached Wilmington Saturday at 12 M., after having spent the night on the road. Had the roads been good, the trip could have been easily made in seven hours. However, the rains made the bad stretches of road almost impassable, and motoring was especially difficult east of Red Springs. The touring car came by way of Aberdeen, Raeford and Red Springs, to which latter place the roads were excellent. Mr. Burleigh held up both hands when he mentioned the roads between Red Springs and Wilmington. He said, of course, there were good stretches of road, but many stretches are in a terrible condition. In no particular do they represent the civilization and rural progress indicated by the splendid roads from Red Springs to Southern Pines.

This end of the road, Mr. Burleigh said, had never known a split log drag, and for 16 miles between the Columbus county roads and the Cape Fear river at Wilmington, there is hardly an apology for a road. The swamps gave a great deal of trouble and the watercourses were too deep for motoring. In one stream the carburetter got under water and "went dead", with the result that the touring car was pulled out by a farmer with a couple of mules. The worst part of the road is in Brunswick county, but, as a whole, one-third of the distance between Southern Pines and Wilmington is badly in need of a road. In spite of the excessive rains of the past week, most of the roads would have been fairly passable had they been dragged after the rains.

The car's meter registered a distance of 135 miles from Southern Pines to Wilmington, so that about 45 miles of road have to be improved in order to make a realization of the Wilmington to Southern Pines Highway. We ought to get busy on this end of the road and have it ready for Northern tourists this Fall. It is a reflection on our eastern counties that they are behind Moore county and others which have improved highways. The farmers need better roads for economical traveling and hauling. Owing to bad roads, Mr. Burleigh consumed twice the time to make the trip as could have been made over a good road. That means 100 per cent. in lost time and it is a good indication of the hauling time lost by the farmers, not to mention the wear and tear on animals and vehicles, nor to consider the more serious disadvantage of having to haul light loads or none at all.

Dr. Blair's touring car is being carried to New York where he and his family will take it for a Summer tour through New England. Thus we see that a highway to Pinehurst and Southern Pines could be used by Northern tourists in the Winter and Southern tourists in the Summer. Twenty to twenty-five thousand tourists visited Southern Pines and Pinehurst last Winter, and if only a few hundred would come this way to reach the resorts by touring cars from Wilmington, and return this way at the end of the season, it will be seen what a big advantage would be a good road between Wilmington and the resorts. However, there is the more tremendous advantage that would fall to the lot of the farmers and the development factor that the road would be in the betterment of the rural communities along the route.

TRAVEL AND TRAFFIC THROUGH THE CANAL

Much has been said about the commerce that is to pass through the Panama canal, but little has been said about the ocean travelers that are to be carried by the great liners. That the passenger traffic will be great is indicated by the remarkable increase in trans-Pacific travel generally during 1912 over previous years. It is said trans-Pacific travel in 1913 will eclipse all records ever known. One feature of the increase is the larger number of tourists visiting the Philippines.

The increased travel to San Francisco on account of the Philippines is said to be due to not only the interest in the islands but also to improved communication between the islands and the United States and Europe. That communication will be more improved when the canal is ready for service. There also has been a large increase in the round-the-world tourist travel by way of Hong Kong, that travel being increased 50 per cent last year.

Southerners will want to travel as well as engage in commerce through the canal. If the liners do not call at our Southern ports, Southern travelers will have to go all the way to New York to take the liners. However, if they were to call at Southport, for instance, travel from all over the South could reach the liners there. Passengers left behind in the North could catch a train and overtake the ships by the time they reached the Cape Fear ocean gateway.

THE POWER OF WILSON.

Probably no President ever exercised more influence over the Senate and House at Washington. We have looked on and marveled at it, and it is viewed in various ways throughout the country. The New York Journal of Commerce looks at it this way:

"President Wilson's strength at the Capitol is being once more demonstrated by the docility with which members of the Finance Committee seem inclined to take his orders as regards tariff changes. So far as can be perceived at present, he has not, up to date, failed to secure acquiescence in even a single one of his directly expressed wishes. The spectacle is as unusual as it is remarkable. Never under the Taft regime, and scarcely ever if at all under Roosevelt, was there so submissive a spirit in the legislative branch of the government. Of course, the situation emphasizes the necessity of extreme care in the views and positions taken at the White House, since the assurance that Presidential ideas shall be enacted and the fact that the usual correctives are absent makes it doubly necessary that no slips or errors occur."

Certainly it demonstrates the power of Wilson, but it is not to be taken in the sense that the President dominates or coerces Congress. The fact is, we elected a President and Congress who represent the people, and they so nearly coincide that they are co-operating under a masterful mind and an acknowledged leadership of the kind that has never been seen in the White House. Congress is not so "docile" as that its members are so nearly of one mind with the people's President that they are standing together in the interest of the people.

The fact that Vice President Marshall attended the commencement at the North Carolina University is proof conclusive that the Vice President had something to say and that he said it like he meant every word of it.

CURRENT COMMENT.

We believe that Robeson's new road law will be an improvement over the old, but we never will see good roads in the county without a bond issue.—Rowland Sun.

The University of North Carolina has made Vice President Marshall a doctor of laws, but he will not be allowed to doctor any laws except in case of a tie vote in the Senate.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

The shipments of potatoes and beans are going forward in the Faison and Calypso territory every day. The prices are not near so good as the growers had first anticipated, and the crops are short everywhere. Last week the price of potatoes ranged around $2.75 per barrel for good stock.—Duplin Enterprise.

In the death of the venerable Dr. T. B. Kingsbury at Wilmington Wednesday, North Carolina journalism loses a gifted and honored member. For a number of years he was the editor of the Wilmington Star and later the Messenger, while during his later years he was a frequent contributor to the State and Southern press. He was a man of strong convictions, a great student of political and historical matters and a pleasing and forceful writer.—Greensboro News.

WITH THE MOVIES

The past week, which closed in a blaze of glory last night, was one of the best and greatest in the history of the popular Bijou. Yet the present week is going to eclipse it, as impossible as that may appear to those who witnessed any of the big and superb shows of last week.

The inauguration of the new week will be tomorrow with a bill of four star films and plenty of new music. "The Millionaires' Playgrounds" is a picture of Palm Beach, Fla., not only showing this wonderful resort, but showing many distinguished people. Kalem's "The Bravest Girl in California", in which clever, charming Ruth Roland, a big favorite with devotees of the "movies", will appear in the stellar role, is another. "Two Western Paths" is Essanay's offering for tomorrow and it is a great, gripping dramatic. The latest Pathe Weekly is also on tomorrow.

Grand Theatre.

The new week at the Grand Theatre will open tomorrow with a star bill in the movies, good music and a perfectly ventilated and delightfully cool auditorium. Mr. John Bunny, in "Pickwick Papers" will be the special feature and it will be in two parts. It is from Chas. Dickens' celebrated book and every scene is made in the famous haunts of Pickwick in England. Every character and picture is a living reproduction of Cruikshank's famous cartoons.

Another big feature picture for tomorrow is "The Understudy", a story of the stage, by Selig and it will be found dramatically interesting and thrilling from start to finish. Then there will be still a third picture and nothing will be spared to give each and every patron a full measure of pleasurable delight.

Constantinople, June 7.—It is reported that several of the European powers have instructed their embassies and legations to take collective steps here and in the Balkan capitals, and demand the demobilization of the respective armies.

"She Looks Old" and Not Yet 40.

Many women fade early, simply because they do not take proper care of themselves. They constantly overdo and overlook those ailments that if not checked rob them of all health and beauty.

At the first symptoms of a functional disturbance or an organic derangement, if women will only rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that great woman's remedy for woman's ills, it will aid the roses to return to your cheeks, sallow looks depart, spirits brighten and backache and headaches caused by such troubles to be known no more.

(advertisement.)

Wrightsville Beach

Atlanta Georgian: "Mrs. Marshall McKenzie and Miss May O'Brien will spend July at Wrightsville Beach."

Mrs. Houston Thron and three children, of Charlotte, have arrived to spend six weeks at the Seashore Hotel.

A large crowd of people went down to Lumina last night to attend the regular week-end dance, the second of the season.

Among the recent arrivals at The Oceanic are Miss Florence K. Spivey, of Kinston, and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bonner, of Birmingham, Ala.

Mrs. Wardlaw, Mrs. McKoy, Mrs. Estes and Mr. Stephens compose a party from Atlanta on a ten-day visit to the beach, stopping at Mrs. B. R. Dunn's cottage.

Most of the Elks who were here for the annual convention Thursday and Friday departed yesterday for their homes, but a few remain at the hotels on the beach for the week-end.

The beach hotels and boarding houses are filling up for the season. There were a number of arrivals yesterday for the week-end. By the last of this week the season will be pretty well underway.

Mrs. Ella Wilcox and daughter, little Miss Catherine Wilcox, have taken the Saunders cottage, near Station Six, for a month or six weeks. Mrs. Wilcox and daughter lived in Wilmington a few years ago and have many friends here.

Beginning this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, Sunday School will be held every Sunday in the Chapel, between Stations Two and Three. The Sunday School will be non-denominational in character and all beach visitors are invited.

The Hanover Inn will open today for the season. The hotel has been leased for the season by Mr. Harry W. Foss, an experienced hotel man, who has conducted Winter hotels in Florida for the past eight or ten years. Under the management of Mr. Foss the Hanover will continue to be one of the most popular places on the beach.

No conventions are to meet on the beach this week, but there will be one next week, the North Carolina Merchants' Association, which meets at the Oceanic Hotel on Tuesday for a three-day session. It will bring to the resort about 150 merchants and many of these will be accompanied by members of their families, probably running the total number of visitors up to over 200.

The usual Sunday concerts will be given at Lumina this afternoon and evening by the full orchestra, in charge of Mr. John F. Kneisel. Crowds will likely visit the resort during the afternoon and it is expected that the beach will be lined with the largest number of bathers of the season. In addition to the Wilmington people there will doubtless be many excursionists from the surrounding country down for the day.

CUSTOMS HOUSE MATTER

News From Washington Created Much Interest in This City

The news from Washington that Senator Simmons and Congressmen Godwin and Small were going to make a fight to have Mr. B. F. Keith, collector of customs at this port, removed because of "too much activity in politics in that he, without consulting any Democratic Senator or Congressman, made recommendations for deputy collectors at Beaufort, Elizabeth City and Manteo," created much interest here. Mr. Keith in a card in yesterday's Star explained that in making the recommendations he was simply carrying out the instructions sent him from the Treasury Department.

Mr. W. E. Yelverton, Washington correspondent of the Raleigh News and Observer, in the story sent his paper Friday night stated that "there are four candidates for Keith's job in Wilmington, which pays $2,500 a year. They are Col. Walker Taylor, George Harriss, Geo. H. Bellamy and W. A. McGirt." The latter said yesterday that he desired it stated that he is not a candidate for the collectorship, has never been and does not expect to be. Furthermore, he said he would not have it if tendered to him. He said that he wanted it distinctly understood that whatever he might have done in furthering the cause of Woodrow Wilson in the campaign was without hope of receiving "pie," and is not only not a candidate for an office but would not accept any place if offered to him.

STREET CAR ACCIDENT.

Mr. L. B. Gilliard Hurt by Falling From Street Car Yesterday.

Stepping from a moving street car at Second and Princess streets yesterday about 1 o'clock, Mr. L. B. Gilliard, a painter, fell to the pavement and was painfully, though not seriously hurt about the head. Eye-witnesses stated that he seemed to step off the car backwards and lost his balance, causing him to fall. He was rendered unconscious by the fall and it was at first thought that his injury was quite serious, but an examination by Dr. W. D. MacMillan showed that it was only a scalp wound. He was taken to the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where he remained for about two hours and was then taken to his home at No. 215 1-2 Market street, where it was stated last night he was resting very comfortably. Mr. Gilliard is employed by Canady & Cooker.

"The Daily Desert Dust"

"The Daily Desert Dust," Mr. J. F. Leitner editor and scissors artist, a breezy sheet "published at Wilmington, N. C., for Oasis Temple, Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine," made its appearance yesterday, 1,500 copies being mailed to the Shriners throughout the State. Copies were also sent to the various Shrine Temples throughout the country. It is a most interesting paper and contains much "live" matter pertaining to Shriners and the annual meeting to be held in this city and at Wrightsville June 26th and 27th.

Will Enforce Sunday Law

A member of the police department was detailed yesterday by Chief Williams to serve notice on all dealers who keep open on Sunday that, beginning with today, the Sunday law will be enforced strictly. Unless the place is a regular restaurant it must remain closed. Licensed news dealers, ice dealers, dairies, bakeries, etc., may remain open until 11 A. M. and may re-open at 3 P. M. Bootblacks and boys selling papers on the streets are not affected. Chief Williams means to put the lid on tight, it is announced.

Fifteenth Annual Mill-End Sale

Starts Monday, June 9th, 9 o'clock. This event is to be a splendid Money Saving Opportunity. Please note the special 30-minutes sales each day.

SPECIAL 30 MINUTES SALE EACH DAY

Monday, June 9th, at 10:00 to 10:30 A. M. and 4:00 to 4:30 P. M. 5,000 yards of yard wide Bleaching, for 30 minutes (limit 10 yards), per yard.....5c

Monday, June 9th, at 11:00 to 11:30 A. M. and 5:00 to 5:30 P. M., $1.50 to $2.50 Hats, including ready-to-wear and the newest styles and colors and shapes (limit, 2,) for 30 minutes at 50c

Tuesday, June 10th, 10:00 to 10:30 A. M. and 4:00 to 4:30 P. M., 4,000 yards best 10c Chambray, all colors (limit, 8 yards) for 30 minutes, at.....5c

Tuesday, June 10th, 11:00 to 11:30 A. M. and 5:00 to 5:30 P. M., $1.00 fancy colored Parasols; new styles; splendid values; about 20 colors to select from, for 30 minutes only 50c

Wednesday, June 11th, 10:00 to 10:30 A. M. and 4:00 to 4:30 P. M., 4,000 yards 12 1-2c Plaid Zephyr Gingham; Special 30-minute sale (limit, 8 yards) at 5c

Wednesday, June 11th, 11:00 to 11:30 A. M., and 5:00 to 5:30 P. M., Oil cloth, suitable for covering Stair Carpet, Hall Tracking; can be used for covering shelves; 10c value; Special 30 minute sale; the yard 5c

Thursday, June 12th, 10:00 to 10:30 A. M. and 4:00 to 4:30 P. M., 3,000 yards solid color Lawns; all the leading colors and white; 10c quality, 30 inches wide; Special 30 minutes sale (limit, 8 yards), at 5c

Thursday, June 12th, 11:00 to 11:30 A. M. and 5:00 to 5:30 P. M., Men's 50c patent seam Drill Drawers (limit, 2 pairs), 30 minute sale.....29c

Friday, June 13th, 10:00 to 10:30 A. M., 3,000 yards best 6c light Calico; big variety; neat, small figures, Splendid values; Special 30 minutes sale, 10 yards for 35c

Friday, June 13th, Store Closes at 1 o'clock.
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INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES

Naval Court Hears Evidence in Quinby Case—Secret Proceedings

Norfolk, Va., June 7.—After hearing evidence for three days, the Naval Court of Inquiry, named to investigate charges informally made against Captain John G. Quinby, commanding the receiving ship Franklin, by Rear Admiral Doyle, commanding the Norfolk Navy Yard, adjourned today. The inquiry was conducted behind closed doors and the witnesses and lawyers in the case were sworn to secrecy.

Captain Quinby requested the court to hold open sessions but this was refused. It is expected that the findings of the court will be made public by the Navy Department on Monday or Tuesday.

PRESIDENT OF FRANCE

Watches Naval Maneuvers—Cheered by Crowds

Toulon, France, June 7.—President Poincare, from the bridge of the armored cruiser Jules Michelet, watched the naval maneuvers today. A remarkable feature of the maneuvers was the work of the submarines. In their final attack they succeeded in torpedoing the Presidential cruiser several times without being perceived.

Great crowds at Toulon cheered M. Poincare as no former President has been cheered.

New York June 7.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $29,988,400 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $2,779,900 from last week.

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HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Names of Those Who Received Honorable Mention for the Last Quarter of School Year Announced Yesterday.

Below is the honor roll for the Wilmington High School for the fourth quarter, ending Friday, June 6th. There are 106 pupils on the honor roll this quarter, being the largest number to make the quarterly honor roll in the history of the school. The ratio of honor pupils during the quarter is one in every three.

This quarter closes the year's work in the High School, and the roll below demonstrates the fact that excellent work was carried on up to the last day. The grades and names of the pupils of the various classes are as follows:

Senior Class—First honor, Jeannette Buck, 99.12; Emily Hammond, 98.72; Katherine Hamond, 97.2; Lena May Herring, 96.2; Kenneth Otten, 95. Second honor—John Perdew, 91.1; Arthur Humphrey, 90.2.

Junior I—First honor, Thelma Brooks, 98.96; Margaret Kingsbury, 98.66; Allie Fechtig, 96.56; Katherine Manning, 96.50; Elizabeth Thames, 95.86; Athalia Bunting, 95.3; McCallum Plowden, 95.2. Second honor—Minnie Plowden, 93.2.

Junior II—First honor, Gordan Thompson, 97; Ruth Bowen, 95.6; John A. Thames, 96.8. Second honor—Ida Horowitz, 94.44; Valeria Dukes, 93; Janie Jones, 93; Chas. Wagner, 94.5; George LeGrand, 91.4.

Sophomore I—First honor, Mary C. Patterson, 99.2; Lillian Solomon, 99.2; Mary Hall, 98; Lyda Davis, 97.6; Elizabeth Moore, 97.6; Eugene Craft, 97; Nell Fennell, 97; Virginia Walsh, 97; Charles Hazelhurst, 96.9; Mary Lathrop, 95.9; Lucy Murchison, 95.9; Mary Louise Stover, 95.4; Cornelia Foster, 95.2. Second honor—Jane Emerson, 93.7; Mannie Emerson, 93.7; Sophia Kohler, 92.8; Louise Newkirk, 91.9. Note—74 per cent. of this room is on the honor roll.

Sophomore II—First honor, Christine Schulken, 98.7; Lucile Sternberger, 96; Stuart Warren, 95.1. Second honor—Sophie Berry, 94.4; Alice Bounds 93.7; Lily May Duls, 93.9.

Sophomore III—First honor, Rebecca Symmes, 95.5; Harvey Badon, 93.7; Ben Kaminsky, 93.7.

Freshman I—First honor, Sophie Northrop, 95. Second honor—Edna McEachern, 94.7; Jack Cranmer, 93.8; Lillian McEachern, 93.3; Florence Taylor, 93; Sallie Swing, 91.8; Mabel Wessell, 90.

Freshman II—First honor, May Buck, 98.40; Annie Griffith, 97.32; Isla Taylor, 96.26; Grace Darden, 95.06; Second honor—Florette Schloss, 93.72; Florence Tiencken, 93.52; Morgan Fenley, 91.8; Nash James, 91.52; Alberta Dudley, 91.4.

Freshman III—First honor, Gladys Price, 98.9; Alberta Creasy, 98.5; Glenn Craig, 96.8; Lucille Thompson, 96.2; Pearl Alderman, 95.6; Vannie Craig, 95.2; Henrietta Lewis, 95.2; Louise Lanier, 95. Second honor—Wilma Ek, 94.8; Ethel Allen, 94.4; Dorothea Quelch, 93.6; Commodore Chinnis, 92.4; Kenneth Partin, 91.8; Lucile Page, 91.4. Note—50 per cent. of the room are on the honor roll.

Freshman IV—First honor, Louise Seitter, 96.2. Second honor—Evelyn Loftin, 94.4; Plina Sandlin, 93.2; Hazel Smith, 96.6.

Freshman Prep. I—First honor, Daisy Sidbury, 97; Aline Saunders, 96.5; Goldie Kaminsky, 96.1; Charlie Rich, 95.8; Dorothy Solky, 95. Second honor—Elizabeth Grossman, 92; Gertrude Lafferty, 90.8; Gladys Sterne, 90.2.

Freshman Prep. II—First honor, Thelma Fillyaw, 97.5; Margaret Schulken, 96.9; Emma Bowden, 96.4; Veritas Saunders, 96.2; Lidie Penton, 95.9; Edison Humphrey, 95.8; Martha Adams, 95.7; Mark Noble, 95.3; Catherine Damon, 95.2. Second honor—Harriss Newman, 94.9; Alma Benton, 94.8; Elise Bissinger, 94.8; Margaret Otten, 94.4; Marion Keith, 94.4; Christine McDougall, 90.9.

NEW LAW FIRM.

Messrs. Greer and Greer Open an Office in Wilmington.

Wilmington is to have a new law firm, Greer & Greer, who will open an office tomorrow morning at Second and Princess streets, over the office of the Tidewater Trust Company. Jackson Greer, Esq., of Whiteville, and Lee Greer, Esq., of Wilmington, compose the firm. Both took the regular two-year law course at the University of North Carolina, finishing in 1901. Mr. Jackson Greer went to Whiteville to practice and has a large clientele, while Mr. Lee Greer came to Wilmington and engaged in business. The latter has now decided to devote his time to the practice of his profession and will be in active charge of the office here of Greer & Greer. Mr. Jackson Greer will spend a portion of his time in Wilmington and the remainder in Whiteville. Both members of the firm are well equipped for the practice of the law and they will doubtless build up a large clientele in Wilmington.

ADDITIONS TO STAFF.

Assistants to Dr. Stiles at Marine Hospital Announced.

Dr. C. W. Stiles, surgeon in charge of the United States Marine Hospital, announces three additions to his staff, these being Dr. Evans C. Wood, of Pike county, Alabama, formerly with the Alabama State Board of Health Laboratory, Montgomery, Ala., later a student in the Albert Ludwig University, Germany, and in Johns Hopkins Medical School; Dr. Harold G. Fechtig, of Wilmington, son of Mr. F. H. Fechtig, of this city, graduate of the University of the South, Suwanee, later student at Johns Hopkins.

Mr. W. M. Keister, son of Dr. Keister, of Roanoke, who received his training in the Johns Hopkins Medical School, will assist in the examination of school children and medical care of wards. Others are to report to the hospital shortly.

BELLAMY GROCERY CO.

New Wilmington Enterprise Recently Opened on Princess Street.

A new Wilmington enterprise that promises much has just been opened as The Star's "next door neighbor" on Princess street—The Bellamy Grocery Company, which occupies one of the well appointed remodeled stores in the Allen building. Handsome fixtures have been installed and a well selected stock of fresh groceries has been put in. Members of the firm are Mr. Geo. H. Bellamy, representative from Brunswick county; K. T. Bellamy, Geo. H. Bellamy, Jr., Morton Bellamy and S. Paul Venters. The announcement of the firm may be found elsewhere in today's paper.

Children's Day Monday at Carolina Beach. Music by Johnson-Scelzi Orchestra. Only 10 cents round trip, children and adults. Spend a day with the kids at the safest beach on the South Atlantic. Watch it develop. (Advertisement.)

JEWELERS ANNUAL MEETING

North Carolina Retail Jewelers' Association Convenes at Beach June 24th for Two-Day Session. Elaborate Preparations.

The North Carolina Retail Jewelers' Association will hold its eighth annual convention at Wrightsville Beach, June 24th and 25th. The headquarters for the convention will be at the Seashore Hotel where the meetings will be held. Elaborate preparations are being made by the local jewelers for the entertainment of the visiting delegates, and it is expected that this will be the largest attended, as well as the most profitable meeting that the association has ever had.

The opening session of the association will begin at 9:30 on Tuesday, June 24th, and will be held in the assembly hall of the Seashore Hotel. On Wednesday afternoon the visitors will be given an automobile ride over the city and its suburbs as the guests of the progressive citizens of Wilmington. Wednesday evening a big dance will be given at the Lumina in their honor.

Those who have charge of the arrangements for the meeting are Mr. Geo. W. Huggins, chairman of the entertainment committee; Mr. A. O. Schuster, chairman of the reception committee, and Mr. J. T. Burke, secretary of the local jewelers' association. Mr. Burke has written a personal letter to every member of the State association inviting them to attend the convention and assuring them of the hearty and cordial welcome which awaits them. For several years Mr. Burke has worked hard to secure the convention for Wilmington, and now that it is coming he is anxious to make it the best meeting that the association has had.

The programme in detail has not yet been worked out, but will be ready the early part of the week when a copy will be mailed to every member. It will be most attractively gotten up, and will exploit the many advantages of Progressive Wilmington.

The president of the association is Mr. William G. Frazer, of Durham, and the secretary is Mr. William B. Morris, of Gastonia.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Announcements of Wilmington Pastors for Searvices Today

St. James church—Rev. Wm. H. Milton, pastor—Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Evening prayer and sermon at Mt. Lebanon chapel, Wrightsville Sound at 4:45. Everybody welcome.

Christian church, Dock street near Fourth, H. C. Bowen, pastor—10 A. M. Sunday school, H. A. DeCover, superintendent; A. E. Leighter, leader of songs. 11 A. M. communion preaching by the pastor. 7 P. M. Christian Endeavor service. 8 P. M. Children's Day service. Solo by Miss Carrie Bowen. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 P. M. All cordially invited.

Brooklyn Baptist church, J. A. Sullivan, pastor—Services Sunday 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school 3:30, Mr. S. F. Garrison, superintendent. Woman's Missionary Society Tuesday afternoon at 3:30. The revival meetings will continue during the week. The public cordially invited to all services.

"Bible Chatauqua." An interesting and instructive lecture tonight at 8:15 at hall on Princess street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets. Subject: "Sealing of the Saints," by Ed. Page Shepard. Public cordially invited.

St. John's Episcopal church, corner Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. W. E. Cox, rector—No early communion. Morning prayer at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 4 P. M. Evening prayer at 5 P. M. Seats free. All are cordially welcomed.

Trinity Methodist church, corner Ninth and Market streets, Rev. C. T. Rogers, pastor—Services at 11 A. M., text: "Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God." 8 P. M., text: "Thou Fool." Sunday school at 3:30 P. M. Business Men's Bible Class at 3:30 P. M. Epworth League Monday 8 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 P. M. All are cordially invited to attend and take part in the services.

Bladen Street Methodist church, Fifth and Bladen streets, Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor—Services today at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Men's prayer meeting at 10 A. M. Sunday school at 3:30 P. M., J. B. Taylor, superintendent. Prayer service Wednesday night 8 P. M. The public is invited to attend these services.

Grace Street Methodist church, corner Fourth and Grace streets, Rev. J. D. Bundy, pastor—Sunday School at 9:45 A. M., Mr. M. F. Allen, superintendent. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Subject for night service, "Jesus, the Carpenter." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Epworth League Friday evening at 8. The public is cordially invited.

First Baptist church, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor—This morning at 11 o'clock the pastor will begin a series of sermons on "The Life of Christ." In the evening there will be an illustrated sermon for the children and the children's choir will do most of the singing. Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.

TRUCKERS ORGANIZE

Charter is Asked for the Wilmington Truck Growers' Association

Articles of incorporation of the Wilmington Truck Growers' Co-operative Association, Inc., have been sent to Raleigh and it is expected that a charter will be issued by the Secretary of State in a few days. There are seven incorporators, all well-known truckers of this county. The association will take the place of the Wrightsboro Truck Growers' Association and its principal object, as its name implies, is to bring about co-operation among the truckers in buying supplies and in selling their products. Mr. J. P. Herring, county demonstration agent, is one of the incorporators and is very much interested in the success of the organization. Officers will be elected at a meeting to be held Thursday night, June 19th.

Best Corn He Has Seen

Mr. T. E. Brown, of Ahoskie, district demonstration agent of Eastern Carolina, was here a few days ago on a regular visit. With Mr. J. P. Herring, the local demonstration agent, he made a visit to the different farms in this county. At the County Home farm he saw a particularly fine field of corn, which he said was the finest he had seen anywhere in this district. Mr. Herring said yesterday that there was one acre of corn in New Hanover county that gives promise now that with seasonable weather it will yield 200 bushels, which as everybody knows, would be some corn-growing for this section.

Consult Dr. Vineberg, the Eye Specialist, Masonic Temple, about your eyes. No charge for examination. Spectacles or eye glasses from $1 up. (Advertisement.)

STEEL BRIDGE COMPLETED

Structure Over Northeast River at Castle Haynes Soon to be Open for Traffic—First Auto Went Over Yesterday

The new steel bridge over the Northeast branch of the Cape Fear river near Castle Haynes, has practically been completed and the County Commissioners at their meeting tomorrow afternoon will likely formally accept the structure. It may be several days yet before the bridge is declared open for public traffic, owing to the fact that the road leading to the bridge on the Pender county side is not yet quite in shape for use.

Mr. Z. W. Whitehead, editor of The Trickers' Journal, of this city, was the first to pass over the new structure in his automobile yesterday, the car being driven by his son, Thos. R. Whitehead, and with them was Mr. H. H. Rust, the superintendent of the construction. Mr. Whitehead naturally feels very much gratified over the completion of this great work of internal improvement, as he and Mr. D. McEachern, former chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, took the initial steps several years ago for this undertaking, when they addressed the Pender County Board of Commissioners, at Burgaw, in behalf of the project by the two counties jointly. Mr. Whitehead has been an unflagging advocate of this work from that day to the present time. He rejoices as heartily today over the completion of the work as any man in either Pender or New Hanover.

The Star, in its local and editorial columns, has several times recounted the many advantages this modern highway of travel will be to the people of the two counties.

Forces are at work improving the road leading to the bridge, both on the New Hanover and the Pender side of the structure. It is expected that in a few weeks the New Hanover road will be improved all the way from Castle Haynes to the bridge.

Commissioner L. W. Moore, chairman of the bridge committee, stated last night that at the meeting of the Commissioners tomorrow afternoon the question of formally accepting the bridge from the contracting firm would come up. So far as he knew there is no reason why the bridge should not be accepted at this time, as he understood several days ago that it would be completed by last night, though he thought it would be several days yet before it is opened for traffic.

CONCERTS AT CAROLINA.

Splendid Programme to be Rendered There Today—Grand Opening.

The several hundred Wilmingtonians who are expected to take their regular weekly outing at Carolina Beach today will be interested and pleased to know that arrangements have been made for a sacred concert to be given in the pavilion by the Johnson-Selzi Orchestra. The steamer Wilmington will make the usual three trips to the pier, leaving the city at 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. A number of improvements have been made at the resort and visitors will find the place more attractive than ever.

The pier and the road-bed over to the beach have recently been inspected and pronounced in the usual good and safe condition for travel. The officers of the New Hanover Transit Company, as a matter of precaution, have inspections made at regular intervals.

Tomorrow will occur the grand opening of the resort for the season. It is advertised as Children's Day and the unprecedented rate of 10 cents for the round trip is offered. This applies to adults as well as to children. The management expects hundreds of people, both children and grown-ups, to take advantage of the low rate and spend a pleasant day at the popular place. Three boats will be run to the pier and return.

On account of the rapid development of the resort and the increased travel it has been found necessary to discontinue the Monday excursions for the colored people. The management of the resort has written a letter to the colored people who usually have the excursions in charge, stating that this step would be necessary for the reasons stated. Two or three excursions to Southport have been arranged for the Summer, the first one the latter part of this month.

The pavilion that was formerly used by the colored people at the beach has been remodelled and fitted up for a first-class restaurant. This is another feature that will appeal to the visitors to the resort this season.

THE RECORDER'S COURT

Vagrants Get Sentences to Road—Light Docket Yesterday

The principal matters coming before the Recorder yesterday were several vagrant cases, these being disposed of in the usual manner by giving them 30 days each. Robert Simmons, colored, was found guilty of disorderly conduct, and fined five dollars and the costs. William Plummer, colored, was sent to the roads for 30 days for vagrancy. Thirty days each for vagrancy was the sentence for Annie Lewis, Lizzie Robinson and Augusta Hill, all colored.

The vagrancy charges against Willie Alcox and Walter Hoffman, white boys, was continued until Monday. They came to the city Friday from Jacksonville. They stated that their home was at Kinston but that they had been away for a month or more. Judgment was held open in the case of James Franklin, charged with vagrancy, it appearing that he was on his way to Newbern.

SHRIER'S SEMI-ANNUAL SALE.

Big Custom Tailoring Event Will be Lauched Tomorrow Morning.

Clothes buyers of Wilmington will be interested in the announcement elsewhere in today's paper of the inauguration tomorrow morning of the eleventh semi-annual sale of custom tailored clothing at the store of "The Old Reliable" clothier, Mr. I. Shrier, northeast corner of Front and Princess streets. A large and select line of samples have arrived and the suits will be placed on sale at $13 and $19 regardless of former selling price. The advertisement elsewhere in today's paper speaks for itself.

More Cider Condemned.

Yesterday the city chemist made a report of the analysis of the two samples of cider which were submitted to him Thursday for examination. The report showed that one, labelled "Pure Apple Cider," contained 5.85 per cent. alcohol and the other labelled "Honey Dew", 6.35 per cent. This is in excess of the limit allowed by law and places both on the forbidden list. All dealers who sell them will be liable to indictment for violating the prohibition law.

MAY CHANGE NEXT SUNDAY

Mr. H. McL. Green May Assume Duties of Postmaster One Week From Today—Has Complied With Requirements

Mr. H. McL. Green, who is to be Wilmington's new postmaster, has complied with all the requirements of the Postoffice Department necessary for his induction into office, and it is probable that he will receive his commission the early part of this week. It is usually customary for new postmasters to take charge of the office on Sunday, as there is less business done on that day and, therefore, making it easier for the change to take place.

When Mr. Green receives his commission he can make demand upon the present postmaster at any time, and the date for assuming the office will be entirely optional with him.

Mr. Green received his appointment about eight weeks ago. Since that time he has been confirmed by the Senate, and last week he submitted his bond of $35,000 to the Postoffice Department. This bond is required for the faithful performance of the duties while in office. That the bond submitted is entirely acceptable to the department is indicated by the fact that he has received a request for his full name in order that his commission may be filled out and forwarded to him.

The retirement of Mr. Wallace marks the end of a term of service in the postoffice covering 14 years, four of which were spent as assistant postmaster and nine as postmaster. February 1st, 1899, Postmaster W. H. Chadbourn appointed Mr. Wallace assistant postmaster, and he served as such until the 19th of April, 1904, when President Roosevelt nominated him postmaster and he was confirmed by the Senate.

At the expiration of his term of four years in 1908, Mr. Wallace was reappointed by President Roosevelt, and had President Taft seen fit to send his name to the Senate at the expiration of the second term in April, 1912, there is little doubt that the Senate would have confirmed the appointment for the third time, for each time Mr. Wallace had the strongest kind of endorsement from leading men in the city and in many parts of the State. If he had been made postmaster for a third term, there would have been practically no objection, because throughout his term of service during the 14 years he has been in the office, he has been uniformly obliging, courteous and willing to furnish the patrons of the office with every needed detail in the handling of the mails and the conduct of the business.

That he raised the standard of efficiency in the office is unquestioned. He has taken a good deal of pride in the management of the office, and years of study of the business have made him familiar with every feature of the service. He has had the answer to any question concerning the office, at his instant command, and goes out of the service one of the best posted men who have served as postmaster in any postoffice in the country.

He has encouraged people to make complaint when the service wasn't what it should have been, and to every kick he has given respectful consideration and remedied the trouble if it were in his power to do so.

When he entered the office as assistant postmaster, the annual receipts for 1899 were $39,971.69. He goes out of the office when the receipts have grown to a sum that will this year very likely reach more than $130,000. Last year ending June 30th, the receipts were $124,060.01.

A great many people are sorry to see him go from the place in which he has served these many years, but they will welcome Mr. Green as their new postmaster, knowing that he, too, is a first-class gentleman and capable of maintaining the high standard of the past, and willing to improve the service as it shows the need thereof.

Mr. Wallace will give largely of his time to the management of the Builders' Supply Company, in which he is heavily interested and of which he is president. This is a new concern, handling every material that enters into the construction of buildings, and although but a few months old, has already achieved a prominent place among the business enterprises of the city.

MONEY PLACED IN BANK

Board of Health Required to Comply With Conditions to Get It

There was deposited in the Southern National Bank yesterday the city's proportion of the estimated expense of the consolidated health department for the month of June. It has a string tied to it, however. Just how strong that will prove to be remains to be seen. Acting upon the advice of the city attorney, Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, wrote across the check or draft a sentence to the effect that the amount was deposited for the County Board of Health subject to the conditions imposed by the City Council in a certain resolution adopted about two weeks ago and attached to the paper was a copy of the resolution referred to.

As will be recalled the resolution provided that the Council would concur in the budget as finally amended on condition that the scale of salaries for the officials of the department as recommended by the Council be observed. The County Board of Health has taken the position that while the Council has the right to cut the budget as a whole it has not the right to say where the cut shall be made, this being left to the health board to determine. Just what effect the notations on the draft deposited yesterday will have upon the situation remains to be seen.

The city's proportion of the estimated expense for June is $1,980. It is presumed that vouchers were given on the fund yesterday in paying off the laborers in the health department.

FIREMEN'S MEMORIAL DAY.

Services Will be Held by Local Department at Headquarters.

This is Firemen's Memorial Day and throughout North Carolina services will be held in honor of the memory of the firemen who have passed away. Services will be held at the local headquarters on South Fourth street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon and will be conducted by the Yoke Fellows of the Y. M. C. A. Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist church, will make the address.

The services will begin with the singing of a hymn, "Abide With Me," and after the reading of the 23rd Psalm the address of Mr. Adams will be delivered. This will be followed by the roll call of the firemen who have died, after which the firemen will take their boutonnieres of Forget-me-nots and place them on a table, saying as they deposit them, "Peace be with thee". Then will follow the hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee", and the benediction.

Two firemen have answered the final summons since the last Memorial Day, these being Messrs. A. C. Peterson and John T. Yates. Since the paid department was organized six firemen have died, the other four being Messrs. B. R. Russell, W. C. Von Glahn, J. N. Mohr, and Eugene Jeffries.

The public is cordially invited to attend the services this afternoon. For several years it has been the custom of the local firemen to send a committee to the cemetery on Memorial Day to place a wreath on the graves of the departed firemen, but this year it was decided to hold the regular memorial service at headquarters.

Assault Is Charged

Constable Davis yesterday afternoon arrested J. B. Neeley, who conducts a cafe at Front and Orange streets, and George Sarvis, a clerk, on warrants charging them with assault on R. H. Burriss, upon whose affidavit the warrants were issued. The defendants gave $50 bond for their appearance at trial Monday at noon before Justice Harriss. Mr. Burriss claims to have been assaulted with bottles by the men he caused to be arrested.

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50c quality Tub Silks, 21 inches wide, neat pin stripes, priced special .... 40c yard
$2.00 quality Brocaded Charmeuse Silks, full line of colors, priced special .... $1.50 yard
Colored Marquesette, 36 inches, regular 35 cents quality, priced special .... 25c yard
23-inch Colored Brocaded Silks, regular $1.00 quality, priced special .... 85c yard
35c quality Kimona Silks, 27 inches wide, extra good quality, priced special .... 25c yard
27-inch Colored Japonika Silks, in pink, light blue, grey, Copenhagen, white and black, priced special .... 25c yard

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A Splendid Display of New, Fresh Patterns and Close-Pruned Prices, for Graduation and Commencement Dresses.

36-inch White Voiles, Sheer and fine regular 35c quality, priced special at .... 25c yard
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SOCIETY

Miss Lizzie Hergenrother has returned from a very pleasant visit of a week with friends in Charlotte.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. Henry Haar left yesterday afternoon on the steamer Cherokee for New York to spend the Summer.

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Mrs. E. J. Collins, of Burgaw, left last night for her home after spending the week here as the guest of Mrs. H. W. Collins.

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Miss Elizabeth Sweeney left yesterday afternoon via Clyde Line for New York, where she will be the guest of Mrs. D. J. Sullivan, No. 272 Sterling Place.

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Mr. William Lord is at home from the State University to spend the Summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Lord.

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Mr. H. M. Shannon, of Boca Grande, Fla., has arrived to spend his vacation with home folks and will visit points in the North and West before returning to Florida.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, of Latta, S. C., are spending a few days in the city with friends. Mr. Smith was formerly assistant cashier of the American National Bank, of this city.

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Miss Cleone Pigford, Master Guy E. Pigford and Miss Louise Gieschen are visiting at the country home of Miss Pigford's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Pigford, near Willard.

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Mrs. A. M. Noble has returned from Warsaw, N. C., where she was called on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. M. H. Hodges, who is improving, friends will be glad to learn.

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Friday's Savannah Morning News: "Mrs. H. H. McKee, of Wilmington, N. C., is in the city for a short visit. Mrs. McKee came down for the wedding of Miss Turner and Mr. deBruyn Kops."

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Mrs. Trabue Barksdale and little daughter, Mary Trabue, are in Camden, S. C., where she, Mrs. Barksdale, was called several weeks ago on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. H. L. Thompson.

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Mr. David Murchison returned Friday from Baltimore, Md., where he has been a medical student at Johns Hopkins the past year. He will spend the Summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Murchison.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of the Fifth Street Methodist church, will run an excursion to Carolina Beach Tuesday, June 10th, on the steamer Wilmington. The public is cordially invited to go down with them for a day of pleasure.

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The ladies of St. Mary's Sewing Circle will give a family picnic to Carolina Beach on Wednesday, June 11th, and the fare will be 25 cents round trip. There will be two boats at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. A good time is promised all who attend.

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Maj. Samuel H. Smith, of Winston-Salem, spent a day in Wilmington the past week, the guest of his niece, Mrs. Z. W. Whitehead, No. 212 Orange street. Mrs. Smith and daughters are expected down in a few days for a stay of several days.

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Mrs. William Sheehan, Miss Ellen Sheehan and Mr. William Roy Sheehan left yesterday morning for Belmont, to attend the commencement exercises of Sacred Heart College, which takes place next Tuesday. Miss Annie Sheehan is one of the graduates of this institution this year.

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Friends of the bride in this city will be interested to learn of the marriage of Miss Gertie Woolard, of Sylvester, Ga., and Dr. Richardson, formerly of Statesville, Ga., but now of Doerun, Ga. The marriage took place the past week at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. C. A. Edwards, at Doerun. The bride has frequently visited relatives in this city.

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Miss Elizabeth Symmes, who recently graduated in the art department of Cooper Union Institute, New York city, received the first prize offered by Mrs. J. Woodward Haven for the most artistic frieze design. Miss Symmes will make her home in Wilmington in the future, and contemplates opening a studio at an early date.

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The members of the Wilmington Light Infantry will have a banquet the latter part of the month, given by the members of the losing team in the recent contest for new members. This organization, including the members recently enrolled, now numbers over 100. The contest has been productive of great rivalry but has been much enjoyed.

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Master Robert W. Shepard entertained in honor of his tenth birthday on Friday of the past week at his home, 813 Chesnut street. A color scheme of red and green was very prettily carried out in the decorations of the home and a large number of the host's young friends were present. Dainty refreshments were served and in these the color scheme was also prettily carried out.

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The Clyde steamship "Cherokee" sailed yesterday afternoon for New York with the following passenger list: Mr. and Mrs. A. Huggins and Master Huggins, Mr. Edward LeBoo, Mr. A. Slaton, Mrs. Cunningham, Miss Cunningham, Mrs. H. A. Sans, Mrs. C. Sans, Miss Bowman, Miss Gieschen, Miss Polvogt, Mr. John G. L. Gieschen, Mrs. Bennette, Mr. I. J. Hardy, Miss J. G. Brinkley, Miss M. S. Smith, Miss K. Moran, Mr. and Mrs. G. Henry Haar, Miss K. Haar, Miss K. Sweeney, Mr. W. J. Tool.

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Mr. Benjamin M. Jones, a popular young man of the city, will leave this afternoon for Atlanta, Ga., where Wednesday evening he and Miss Frances Bostick Dixon, of that city, will be united in marriage. He will be accompanied by Mr. Paul Baschon, of Richmond, Va., who will be best man. The wedding will be quite an interesting social event in the Georgia capital. Mr. Jones and his bride will leave immediately after the ceremony for their bridal tour and will come to Wilmington about June 25th to make their home. Mr. Jones is a well-known and popular young man and his bride will be given a most cordial welcome to the city.

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Midshipman Leonard P. Wessell, son of Mr. A. D. Wessell, of Wilmington, having very creditably passed the annual examination of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, will now have his first experience in sea service. The midshipmen embark June 7th for an extended cruise of three months on the cruiser Illinois. The itinerary of the cruise includes Northern Europe, Spain, Gibraltar and the Island of Maderia, returning to Annapolis August 30th. It will be of interest to the baseball fans to know that Midshipman Wessell is on the squad and training table and went with the team to West Point, reporting a splendid reception and good time generally.

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BARACA-PHILATHEA SOCIAL AT BURGAW LAST WEEK.

Burgaw, N. C., June 7.—One of the most enjoyable events of the season was the Baraca-Philathea social held in the large new Sunday School rooms of the Baptist church here last night. Games were played for some time and the pleasant evening closed with choice refreshments. The address of the occasion was delivered by Mr. G. E. Leftwich, of Wilmington, the founder of organized class work in this section and for years was teacher of the largest class in Eastern Carolina, and at present the leader of the Baptist Laymen's movement in this section. He had as his subject, "How to Build a Class." All enjoyed themselves and much credit is given Supt. Harrell and his assistants for the success of the meeting.

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LOCAL SCHOOL TEACHERS ARRANGING SUMMERS PLANS

Now that the commencement exercises of the city graded schools are over the teachers are completing their plans for the Summer months. A great many of the teachers live in other cities and they are leaving for their homes.

Prof. Heman S. Shaw, principal of the High School, will leave next Thursday for Elizabeth City, where he will join Prof. T P. Nash, Jr., also a member of the High School faculty, and they will go by boat to New York city, where they will be met by Prof. A. O. Hamilton, principal of the Hemenway school, who will go by rail from Monroe, N. C., and the three will sail from New York on June 17th for Naples. After spending about three months in Europe they will return to the States, sailing from Glasgow. They will retain their positions in the Wilmington schools for next year.

Prof. J. C. Oates, another member of the High School faculty, has gone to his home at Tarboro, where he will spend the Summer. He will not return to Wilmington to teach, having accepted the superintendency of the school at Lynchburg, S. C., for next year.

The following High School teachers left yesterday afternoon for their respective homes: Miss Kate Styron and Miss Ethel Wood, Newbern; Miss Ethel Smith, Jonesboro, Tenn.; Miss Nancy Martin, Gallatin, Tenn. Miss Isabel Gulley, of Wake Forest, and Miss Frederika Jenkins, of Raleigh, of the High School faculty, will remain in the city for a few days.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. B. S. Koonce, of Chadbourn, was in the city yesterday.

—W. P. Mangum Turner, Esq., has returned from a professional trip to Charlotte.

—Mr. B. J. Price, of Rocky Mount, is in the city on a visit to relatives and friends.

—Mr. A. H. Marsh, the well known auditor and public accountant of Augusta, Ga., is spending a few days here on business.

—Mr. W. M. Wiggins, of Goldsboro, is here to spend the week-end with friends and has been pleasantly greeted.

—Mr. McHenry McChord returned yesterday from the East and will resume his duties at St. James' Sunday morning.

—Mr. S. W. Powell has returned from Wake Forest, where he has been spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Powell.

—Among the arrivals at The Southern yesterday were B. C. Edwards, Marion, S. C.; C. C. Harrill, Hamlet; R. M. Byrd, Fayetteville; H. J. Lyon, Elizabethtown; H. C. Waskey, Rocky Mount; H. W. Davis, Sumter; A. A. Evans, Augusta, Ga.; W. A. Watson, Greensboro; J. F. Herring, Currie; A. H. Lucas, Sumter; F. M. Holley, Rocky Mount; J. E. Douglass, Phoenix.

LOCAL DOTS.

—License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Mr. John W. Bell, of Greenville Sound, and Mrs. Addie Cornelia Rogers, of Wilmington, daughter of Mr. Stephen Sneeden.

—The police continue the war on vagrants. Yesterday morning the following were arrested: Charley Curby, Water and Princess; Nick Lawson, Holsey Williams, Front and Walnut. All are colored. They will be tried before the Recorder Monday.

—The police last night arrested four colored women, charged with vagrancy, whose names are Rosie Wilson, Lizzie Simmons, Ella West and Maria Robinson. John Wesley Davis, colored, who was discovered prowling around the wharf on Water street was also locked up on the charge of vagrancy.

—In Justice Harriss' court yesterday the case against Jake James, formerly superintendent of the county convict camp, charged with assault, was dismissed. Ross Kennedy, who was mixed up in the affair and was arrested by the police, failed to appear in the Recorder's court when a case against him was called Friday.

AUTOMOBILES IN COLLISION.

Both Machines Damaged But Occupants Escaped Uninjured.

Two automobiles, one owned and driven by Mr. F. W. Davis and the other owned by Mr. W. G. Fountain and driven by Mr. Percy Forbes, collided, head-on, at Ninth and Market streets, south side, last night about 9 o'clock, both cars being considerably damaged, especially that of Mr. Davis, but the occupants of the machines escaped uninjured. Mr. Davis, who was accompanied by Mrs. Davis, was coming down Market street on the south side in his E. M. F. car, and Mr. Forbes, driving Mr. Fountain's Buick livery car, was going out Market street on the same side of the thoroughfare. The collision occurred head-on just as Mr. Davis started to turn his car into Ninth street. That no one was hurt is considered remarkable.

Mr. Davis' car was badly damaged, the front axle being broken and the fender demolished. Mr. Fountain's car had one of the tires knocked off and the fender damaged. Mr. Davis was driving his car at a slow rate of speed and this fact is said to have been the salvation of the occupants of the car, for had the speed been greater, the impact would doubtless have been of such force as to have caused greater damage.

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WILMINGTON PLEASES HIM.

Mr. Raymond, of New York City Notes Signs of Improvement.

Mr. J. S. Raymond, of New York City, assistant general manager of the Clyde Steamship Co., spent several days in Wilmington the past week looking after matters pertaining to the harbor terminals of the company. Mr. Raymond has visited Wilmington on previous occasions, but never before had the opportunity of seeing much of the city. He was taken on an automobile trip over the entire city and its suburbs by Mr. C. E. Greenamyer, so that he might see something of its many advantages.

Mr. Raymond's last visit to Wilmington was in October of 1911, and he was astonished to learn of the splendid development of the city during the 18 months that have intervened. He stated that he has not seen in any Southern city such manifestations of progress and progressiveness as he has seen in Wilmington on this trip. He was especially struck with the pride that Wilmingtonians take in the care of their homes and the improvements of their business houses. He observed in a general way the many signs of improvement in the appearance of the city and the evidences of its thrift and prosperity.

Children's Day Exercises.

Children's Day exercises will be observed this morning at 11 o'clock at the Fifth Street Methodist church. The pastor, Rev. G. T. Adams, will make a short talk at the close of the exercises. The usual service will be held at 8 P. M., preaching by the pastor.

Lumina Concerts

Jno. F. Kneisel, Director.

Program for Sunday June 8th, 1913

AFTERNOON, 4:00 O'CLOCK

1. Medley—"Kentucky Days" ..... Percy Wenrich
2. Valse Retrospective—"The Old Wedding Gown," Lee Orean Smith (Looking at her wedding gown of 50 years ago she lives in reminiscence of the happy years since the dawn of love at the ball).
3. Selection from "The Kiss Waltz" ..... Ziehrer
4. Humoresque—"The Magpie and the Parrot" ..... Theo. Bendix
5. Overture—"Light Cavalry" ..... Franz Von Suppe

INTERMISSION

6. Medley March—"I'm Going Back to Carolina" ..... Ernie Erdman
7. Turkish Intermezzo—"On the Bosporous" ..... Paul Lincke
8. Valse Lento—"Charme d' Armour" ..... Edwin F. Kendall
9. Medley of Plantation Songs ..... Arr. J. B. Lampe
10. Comic March—"A Slippery Place" ..... Phil M. Hacker (Comedian, Mr. L. R. Cox.)

NIGHT, 8:30 O'CLOCK

1. March—"Inspection Day" ..... Frank Hersom
2. Selection—"The Red Rose" ..... Frederick Hood Bowers
3. Romance—"Tendre Aveu" ..... E. Schutt
4. Grand Selection—"Madam Butterfly" ..... Puccini
5. Patrol—"Siamese" ..... Paul Lincke
6. Scenes Pittoresques—"The Angelus" ..... J. Massenet (Inspired by the celebrated painting of the same name.)
7. Danse Parisenne—"Scattering of the Roses" ..... Ring and Hager
8. Melodies from "Il Trovatore" ..... G. Verdi

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, EASTERN District of North Carolina, ss.: In the United States District Court in and for said District—Fourth Division.

In the matter of C. M. Soles, of Tabor, Columbus County, N. C., Involuntary Bankrupt, Petition for Discharge.

To the Honorable H. G. Connor, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina: C. M. Soles, of Tabor, in the County of Columbus and State of North Carolina, in said District, respectfully represents that on the 5th day of August, 1912, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress, relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy. Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts payable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are exempted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 29th day of May, A. D. 1913.

C. M. SOLES, Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

Eastern District of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss.:

On this 7th day of June, A. D. 1913, on reading the foregoing petition it is ordered by the court That a hearing be had upon the same on the 7th day of July, 1913, before Geo. H. Howell, Esq., Special Master of said court, at Wilmington, N. C., in said district, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Wilmington "Star," a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause if any they have why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered by the court, That the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residences as stated.

Witness the Honorable H. G. Connor, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof, at Wilmington, N. C., in said district, on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1913.

(Seal.)

Attest:

H. L. GRANT, Clerk.

By S. P. Collier, Deputy Clerk.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

Pursuant to an order of the Superior Court for New Hanover County, entered at the May Term, 1913, in a case therein pending, wherein Theodore M. Byers, et al., are plaintiffs, and the Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company is defendant, the undersigned commissioners will, on the 10th day of July, 1913, at 12 o'clock M., at the place of business of the Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company, Scott's Hill, N. C., sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the following real and personal property, belonging to the said Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company, and situate in Pender and New Hanover Counties, to-wit:

REAL PROPERTY.

FIRST TRACT: Beginning at a cypress in Old House Branch, and running thence South 2 deg. East, 12 poles, to a stake; thence South 88¼ deg. West, 61 poles, to stake; thence South 237 poles to a lightwood stump; thence North 80 deg. West, 145 poles, to a pine; thence North 357 poles, to a spruce pine, at the run of Old House Branch; thence with the meanders of said branch, to the beginning; containing, by estimation, 300 acres, same being on the North side of the railroad, about two miles from the Scott's Hill Depot.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning at the Southeast corner of the church lot of the M. E. Church, South, at Scott's Hill, in the center of the side track of the Wilmington & Newbern Railroad, and running thence with the course of the side track in a Northeast direction, 172 feet to a stake, 7 feet at right angles from the center of said side track to the West side of the same, and running thence North 50 deg. West, 823 feet, to a stake in a fence line; thence South 33 deg. 15 min. West, 435 feet, to a sycamore tree in the edge of an old grave yard; thence South 68 deg. 45 min. East, 371 feet, to a stake in the Western corner of the Methodist Church lot; thence North 35 deg. 30 min. East, 242 feet, to a stake in the Northern corner of the Methodist Church lot; thence South 53 deg. 45 min. East, 447 feet, to the point of beginning; containing 4.9 acres; and being the tract of land upon which the mill and plant of the Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company is located.

THIRD TRACT: All the standing timber measuring 12 inches in diameter, 12 inches from the ground, upon the following described tract of land, lying and being in Topsail Township, Pender County, and bounded as follows: On the North by lands of G. W. Huggins; on the East by lands of Jasper Sidbury; on the South and West by lands of W. H. Hill; containing 400 acres, more or less. It is the condition of this deed that the timber shall be removed from the aforementioned land within eight years from the 9th day of March, 1911. The party of the first part hereby conveys to the party of the second part all the rights and privileges of ingress, egress and regress named in the deed from J. T. Foy and wife.

FOURTH TRACT: 1st. Being a certain lot or parcel of land allotted to F. M. Foy in the division of the estate of J. M. Foy, deceased, and described as follows, to-wit: Situated on the East side of Island Creek and South side of Wanny's Branch, beginning at a sweet gum tree on the spot where formerly stood a stooping chinquepin; running thence North 85 East 77 poles, to a stake; thence South 36 poles, to a stake, Henry S. Foy's Northwest corner; thence East with said H. S. Foy's line, 256 poles, to a stake; thence North 58 East, 110 poles, to a gum tree on the run of Wanny's Branch; thence with the run of said branch, along the various courses thereof, about 280 poles, to a maple, the corner of the Shohar tract; thence with the Shohar line, South 44 West, 332 poles, to the beginning; containing by estimation, 337½ acres, more or less.

2nd. Situated on the East side of Island Creek, and on the North side of Wanny's Branch, beginning at a stake, Henry S. Foy's Northwest corner, referred to in the above tract; running thence South 304 poles to a maple on the North side of Mosquito Branch; thence North 14 deg. East, 84 poles, to a stake; thence East, 134 poles, to a pine; thence with the courses of the bay, first North 63 poles; thence North 82 deg. 50 poles; thence North 50 deg. East 120 poles, to a pine in the line of the Futch tract; thence with said Futch line, North 33 deg. West, 88 poles, to the corner of the Futch tract; and thence West 232 poles to the beginning; containing 322 acres, more or less.

3rd. Adjoining the above two tracts and lying on both sides of Wanny's Branch, beginning at a stake at the edge of a bay, adjoining R. K. Bryan's land, being the beginning corner of the Futch tract, near Richard Earle's plantation; running thence North 33 deg. West 204 poles to a pine stump in Jeremiah Casteen's field; thence South 58 deg. West, 180 poles, across Wanny's Branch to a stake, corner of the two above described tracts; thence South 33 deg. East, along a line of the second tract described above, 100 poles, to a stake in the edge of a bay; thence South 58 deg. West, 60 poles, to a pine; thence South 58 deg. East, 60 poles, to a stake; thence North 58 deg. East, 263 poles, to R. K. Bryan's line, to the beginning; containing 225½ acres, more or less.

Excepting from the last mentioned tract, a certain parcel of land conveyed by J. W. Foy to Oscar P. Batton, by deed dated January ——, 1887, and recorded in New Hanover County, in Book Q, page 332, provided the said Batton has legal title thereto, but the said party of this deed conveys all interest he has in said exception, which purports to contain 22 acres.

4th. The following land in New Hanover County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of the Nixon heirs and others, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: In Harnett Township, situated on Mosquito Island, beginning at a pine near the head of Island Creek, and running down said creek to a stone, N. M. Nixon's corner; thence with his line East 154 poles to a stake, his corner at Mosquito Branch; thence up said branch as it meanders to a pine at Briery Glade; thence the various courses of said glade to Cross Branch; thence down the run of said branch, its various courses, to the first station; containing 350 acres, more or less.

The last four tracts lying in New Hanover and Pender Counties, and conveyed by George M. Wiley to W. H. Hill, as Recorded in Book 53, page 430, Records of New Hanover County, and in Book 54, page 579, Records of Pender County, and sold by W. H. Hill to said Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company.

FIFTH TRACT: 1st. Situated in Topsail Township, adjoining the lands of the Brown heirs, beginning at a spruce pine on the North side of Trumpeter Swamp, near the mouth of Maul's Branch, and running thence North 20 deg. West, 176 poles, to a stake; thence North 38 deg. East, 16 poles to a pine, near a bay; thence along the bay North 5 deg. East 40 poles to a pine on the bay; thence with said bay North 65 deg. East, 32 poles, to a pine; thence South 57 deg. East, 20 poles to a stump; thence East 40 poles to a pine; thence North 21 deg. West, with the bay, 40 poles, to a pine on said bay; thence with said bay North 57 deg. West, 59 poles to a pine; thence North 22 deg. East, 32 poles to a pine; thence South 51 deg. East, 144 poles, to the run of Trumpeter Swamp; thence down Trumpeter Swamp to the beginning; containing 110 acres, more or less.

2nd. Beginning at a stake on the run of Trumpeter Swamp, near the mouth of Coe's Branch, and running thence South 23 deg. West, to a stake near Mush Pot Pond, Ezekiel Chadwick's corner; thence with his line South 23 deg. West, 68 poles to a stake in the first line of a 100-acre tract or survey granted to M. J. Hall; thence with said line South 51 deg. East, 14 poles to a stake at the run of Blossom Branch, the beginning corner of Hall patent; thence down Blossom Branch to a stake, J. Garrison's corner, at the South edge of Blossom Branch; thence with Garrison's line South 27 deg. East, 110 poles to a pine near the Wolf Pond, James W. Walton's corner, the beginning corner of Garrison's old survey; thence with the line of said survey South 78 deg. East, 71 poles to a pine near Blossom Branch; thence South 12 deg. East, 48 poles to a stake; thence South 80 deg. East 21 poles to a spruce pine head fork of the bay of Blossom's Branch; thence North 20 deg. East, 10 poles to a stake; thence with the edge of Blossom Bay North 51 deg. East, 71 poles to a stake at the edge of Blossom Bay, the fourth corner of patent granted to W. C. Murphey, for 240 acres; thence with the line of said grant as follows: South 54 deg. East, 100 poles to a pine; thence South 10 deg. West, 68 poles to a pine at the edge of Carney Bay, at Merrick's Avenue, leading from the Savannah to Rocky Point; thence up the edge of Carney Bay South 72 deg. East, 50 poles to a stake by said bay; thence North 80 deg. East, 128 poles to a pine at the bay of Coe's Branch; thence North 80 poles to the run of Coe's Branch; thence down the run of Coe's Branch, to the run of Trumpeter Swamp, to the beginning; containing, by estimation, 750 acres, more or less.

3rd. Beginning at an oak at John Avant's corner; thence North 55 deg. East, 180 poles to a pine; thence North 2 deg. East, 218 poles, to a pine on Nichols' line; thence North 55 deg. West, 80 poles, to a pine; thence South 240 poles to Walker's corner; thence South 89 deg. West, 216 poles to a pine on Wanny's Branch; thence with said branch to the beginning; saving and excepting, more or less, 25 acres around and containing the house in which Jeremiah Casteen formerly lived.

Also another tract or parcel of land adjoining the lands of Charles B. Futch and the lands belonging to the estate of Lewis Loftin, deceased, and the lands of the estate of Benjamin Best, the boundaries of which will more fully appear in a patent by Reuben Everett for said land, the whole tract containing 209 acres, more or less.

4th. The following land in Pender County, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Watkins and others, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: In Topsail Township, beginning on the East end of Jordan's Ridge, running North 48 deg. West, 216 poles; thence North 43 deg. East, 15 poles; thence North 61 deg. East, 48 poles; North 17 deg. East, 50 poles; thence North 17 deg. East, 50 poles; thence North 7 deg. West, 308 poles; thence North 75 deg. West, 27 poles, to Betsey's Branch; thence up Betsey's Branch North 75 deg. East 72 poles; thence North 2 deg. East, 100 poles to Catskin Branch; thence up Catskin Branch Eastwardly 248 poles to the bay; thence with the bay to the beginning; containing 534 acres of land.

SIXTH TRACT: All of the pine timber of every description of and above the size of 12 inches in diameter at the base, when cut, now standing or growing, or which may be during the term of ten years, beginning June 3, 1902, lying, standing or growing upon the tracts of land hereinafter described, situate in Pender County, North Carolina, in Topsail Township, to-wit:

Beginning at a stake on the line of the right of way of the Wilmington & Newbern Railroad, on the West side, by two cherry trees; thence North 49 deg. 40 min. West 162 poles to a stake; thence North 64 deg. 10 min. West, 302 poles to a stake at the West edge of the public road; thence a part of the way along and with said road; North 31 deg. 40 min. West, 184 poles to Willie's Branch, to a stake in Bryan and Casteen's line; thence with said line, South 58 deg. 30 min. West, 62 poles to a stake in Thompkin's field; thence crossing Willie's Branch, South 31 deg. 40 min. East, 140 poles to a stake about —— poles West from the old cart road; thence crossing said road, North 58 deg. 20 min. East, 62 poles, to a stake in a bay about 8 poles West of the new road; thence about parallel with said road, South 31 deg. 40 min. East, 236 poles to a stake about 8 poles from said road; thence crossing the cart road South 19 deg. 20 min. West, 107 poles to a small red bay; thence South 46 deg. 40 min. East, 88 poles to a stake on Foy's line; thence North 43 deg. 20 min. East 130 poles to a stake at the new road, F. M. Foy's and Bryan's corner, near the corner of Lee's lot; thence with the Foy and Bryan links South 68 deg. 40 min. East, 75 poles and 8 links to a stake in the line of the right of way of the Wilmington & Newbern Railroad, 50 feet from the center of said road, near the Methodist Church; thence along the line of said right of way North 47¼ deg. 20 min. East, 87 poles, to the first station; containing 252 acres, more or less, saving and excepting one acre, heretofore deeded to the Methodist Church.

SEVENTH TRACT: Beginning at a stake on the West side of the Wilmington & Newbern Railroad, 50 feet from the center line of said road, being also a corner of G. W. Huggins; thence along the line of the right of way of said road, North 47 deg. 20 min. East, 95½ poles to a stake, where Bryan and McClammy cross said road; thence with said line North 51 deg. 40 min. West, 10 poles to a stake in Black Swamp, a Bryan and McClammy corner; thence with their line North 38 deg. 20 min. East, 41 poles to a stake, an old Bryan and McClammy corner; thence with their old line South 50 deg. 40 min. East, 58 poles to a stake in the field back of McClammy's house; thence with another of their lines, North 38 deg. 45 min. East, 66 poles to a stake about 2 poles from the edge of a pond beyond the road; thence with another Bryan and McClammy line North 61 deg. 40 min. West, 151½ poles, crossing McClammy's field to a stake, a dividing corner between R. K. and N. N. Bryan; thence with their dividing line South 38 deg. 20 min. West, 19 poles to a stake in the Northwest edge of Black Swamp, a dividing line between R. K. and N. N. Bryan and Mrs. S. B. Foy; thence with R. K. Bryan and Mrs. S. B. Foy to dividing line South 51 deg. 40 min. East, 70 poles to a stake in Black Swamp; thence with their lines South 40 deg. 20 min. West, 64½ poles to a stake, the said Mrs. Foy's division corner; thence with their divison line, between R. K. and Mrs. Sallie Bryan, the same course mentioned, 48¼ poles to a stake about 100 yards beyond the Loftin Canal, their division corner; thence with their division line North 51½ deg. West, 348 poles to a stake, 21 poles beyond Bryan Avenue road, their division corner; thence with their division line North 31 deg. 40 min. West, 98 poles to a stake; thence with the old Bryan and McClammy line South 58 deg. 20 min. West, 95 poles to a stake in said line, a division corner of R. K. and Miss Mary Bryan; thence with their dividing line South 31 deg. 41 min. East, 184 poles to a stake just at the West edge of the new road; thence crossing said road South 64 deg. 10 min. East, 302 poles to a stake in a small field, another division corner between R. K. and Miss Mary Bryan; thence with their division line South 49 deg. 40 min. East, 102 poles to a stake by the right of way of the aforesaid railroad; thence with the said right of way of the said railroad to the beginning; containing 350 acres, more or less. Also all the timber rights purchased from Theodore Gillespie by W. H. Hill, now remaining uncut on the lands of said aforementioned Theodore Gillespie, in New Hanover County.

All the above land and timber and timber rights being the same purchased by the Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company from W. H. Hill by deed bearing date January 27, 1912, and recorded in Book 89, page 522, Records of Pender County, and in Book 68, page 244, Records of New Hanover County.

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Seven head of mules; one yoke of oxen; four log carts; one ox cart; chain grabs and gear; one 65 H.-P. steam engine; two saw mills; one edger; one trimmer; one butt saw; one planer; one rip saw; one 80 H.-P. boiler; one 30 H.-P. boiler; one set dry-kiln trucks; one lumber truck; pulleys, cant hooks and chains. Mules as follows: One mule known as Millie, blind in both eyes; one mule known as Julia; one mule known as Lula; one mule known as Pete; two mules known as the Sidbury mules; and one mule known as Mike; same being the mules and other property used by W. H. Hill & Son in operating their mill at Scott's Hill, North Carolina, before they sold out to Marshall & Dawson, who, in turn, transferred their rights to the Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company. And all other property, except money, belonging to the said Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company.

The real and personal property will be put up and sold separately and then offered together in bulk as a whole.

The highest bidder will be required to deposit 15 per cent. of his bid on the day of sale, pending confirmation of the same by the court.

This the 7th day of June, 1913.

E. K. BRYAN and
W. P. STACY,
Commissioners.

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Financial and Commercial

THE COTTON MARKET QUIET IN THE WORLD OF FINANCE TRADING IN STOCKS LISTLESS

Reactionary Tendency Shown In Early Trading—The Close Very Steady —Weather and Crop News Unchanged

New York, June 7.—The cotton market was comparatively quiet today and showed a somewhat reactionary tendency during the early trading under realizing for over the week-end of scattered selling inspired by favorable weather reports. Later, however, prices rallied and the close was very steady, net six points lower to two points higher with the new crop showing the gains although there was no change in the late weather and crop news.

The market opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of three points, with near months relatively easy in sympathy with the cables. Indications of showers and lower temperatures in the South following midweek complaints of dry, hot weather, were considered very encouraging from a new crop standpoint, and prices eased off to a net loss of about 3 to 8 points during the early trading. There was a little Southern selling here, supposedly on the crop situation, but the bulk of the cotton offered was supposed to be in the way of scattered profit-taking and as sellers were not aggressive, the market steadied up some 5 or 6 points from the lowest on covering in the late trading.

Local bulls attributed the comparatively steady ruling of the market to continued nervousness over the near month situation, and reports that European spinners were disposed to buy new crops freely on declines. Weekly reviews of the dry goods trade indicated continued activity in Western textiles circles and Fall River sales for the week were estimated at 150,000 pieces, against 80,000 for the same week last year.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	11.08	11.12	11.06	11.11
Feb	.....	.....	.....	11.13
Mar	11.20	11.21	11.20	11.23
June	.....	.....	.....	11.71
July	11.81	11.81	11.72	11.78
Aug	11.67	11.69	11.61	11.65
Sept	.....	.....	.....	11.28
Oct	11.17	11.21	11.15	11.20
Nov	.....	.....	.....	11.19
Dec	11.15	11.18	11.11	11.18

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 12.00; net receipts, 2,854; gross receipts, 2,854; stock, 79,957; coastwise, 1,446.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12 3-16; net receipts, 250; gross receipts, 299; sales, 300; stock, 60,949.

Mobile—Nominal, 11¾; net receipts, 54; gross receiptes, 54; stock, 8,749; Great Britain, 3,269; constwise, 3.

Savannah—Firm, 12¼; net receipts, 1,575; gross receipts, 1,577; sales, 203; stock, 42,674; coastwise, 515; Japan, 300.

Charleston—Quiet, 11¾; net receipts, 77; gross receipts, 77; stock, 13,423.

Wilmington—Quiet, 11¾; net receipts, 196; gross receipts, 196; stock, 9,552.

Norfolk—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 605; gross receipts, 605; sales, 240; stock, 28,879; constwise, 1,077.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12¼; stock, 4,766.

New York—Quiet, 12.10; sales, 2,671; Great Britain, 59,130; coastwise, 1,538.

Boston—Quiet, 12.10; net receipts, 63; gross receipts, 86; stock, 9,681.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.35; stock, 653; Great Britain, 1,118.

Texas City—Stock, 4,615.

Brunswick—Stock, 7,898.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 150; gross receipts, 150; stock, 501; coastwise, 150.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 5,873; Great Britain, 4,387; Japan, 300; stock, 336,-973.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 5,873; Great Britain, 4,387; Japan, 300.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 9,-592,786; Great Britain, 3,392,521; France, 948,639; continent, 3,305,633; Japan, 481,692; Mexico, 11,566.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Dull, 12.60; net receipts, 426; gross receipts, 426; shipments, 929; stock, 61,032.

Augusta—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 179; gross receipts, 179; shipments, 996; sales, 310; stock, 28,901.

Memphis—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 81; gross receipts, 255; shipments, 365; sales, 500; stock, 45,076.

St. Louis—Steady, 12¼; gross receipts, 202; shipments, 451; stock, 25,215.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 243; gross receipts, 243; shipments, 291; stock, 23,975.

Little Rock—Quiet, 11¾; net receipts, 8; gross receipts, 8; shipments, 448; stock, 22,-016.

Greenville—Steady, 12.00.

Total today—Net receipts, 937; gross receipts, 1,313; shipments, 3,480; sales, 810; stock, 206,215.

THE CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

Desire to Convert Profits Into Cash—Close Steady

Chicago, June 7.—Holders of wheat showed an increasing desire today to convert profits into cash before the government crop report Monday. Drenched fields in Southwestern Kansas, where absence of rain has been worst, formed a decided incentive. The market, though steady at the close, was 1-8 to 5-8 under last night. Corn finished 5-8 down; oats off 1-4 to 3-8 to 1-2, and provisions ranging from 10c decline to an advance of 2 1-2.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.00@1.03½; No. 2 hard, 92@93; No. 1, Northern, 92@93; No. 2, Northern, 91@92; No. 2, Spring, 91@92; velvet chaff, 90@93½; durum, 90@95.

Corn—No. 2, 59@59¼; No. 2, white, 59¾@60¼; No. 2, yellow, 59¼@59½.

Oats—No. 2, white, 40½@41; Standard, 40@40½.

Wheat—June, 90¾; July, 90¾; September, 89⅝.

Corn—July, 58⅛; September, 58¾; December, 50⅝.

Oats—July, 38⅝; September, 37⅞; December, 28⅝.

Pork—July, 20.47; September, 19.90.

Lard—July, 10.95; September, 10.92; October, 10.92½.

Ribs—September, 11.35; October, 11.05.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, June 7.—Spot cotton quiet; prices steady. Middling fair 7.29; good middling 6.91; middling 6.91; middling 6.69; low middling 6.53; good ordinary 6.17; ordinary 5.83. Sales 6,000 bales, including 1,-000 for speculation and export and including 4,000 American. Receipts 200 all American.

Futures opened dull and closed steady. June 6.47; June and July 6.41 1-2; July and August 6.39 1-2; August and September 6.29 1-2; September and October 6.17 1-2; October and November 6.11; November and December 6.07 1-2; December and January 6.06 1-2; January and February 6.06 1-2; February and March 6.07 1-2; March and April 6.08 1-2; April and May 6.09; May and June 6.10.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, builds up the system. A true Tonic. For adults and children, 50c.
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Depression in Stocks Both Home and Foreign—The Process of Readjustment Painful—General Causes.

New York, June 7.—The pangs of financial indigestion continued to affect stock markets both here and abroad throughout the week. The process of readjustment, while painful, began to bring signs of wholesome results toward the end of the week. The same general causes were operative as for some time back centering in the Balkan war with its outright destruction of capital, interruption of banking and credit facilities and driving of free capital into hiding by the alarms created.

The most active factor in the week's special weakness seemed to be the unexpected announcement at Berlin of fresh imperial German and Prussian loans of over $56,000,000 to be issued on June 12th.

Berlin started a fresh liquidating movement and drew gold not only from the open London market, but from the Bank of England.

The financial situation in Canada came in for attention on account of enormous borrowings of late years for Canadian account on account of rapid development.

It became manifest, too, that our own banking authorities saw the necessity for further readjustment of credits, with no relief in sight for the strained position abroad.

Sales of securities at auction reflected the pressure. The headlong lengths to which the declines ran and the character of some of the securities affected indicated a closing out of collateral on forced sales. It was evident that over-loaded underwriters, especially in London, were resorting to sales of seasoned securities to protect their subscription to unsalable new issues.

Factors of depression peculiar to the Newd York market lost none of their force. The St. Louis & San Francisco receivership added to the disfavor of the foreign markets for American securities. The alternative plans of the foreign markets for American securities. The alternative plans for dissolution proposed by the Union Pacific were met with a feeling of disappointment. An extensive curtailment of production of pig iron for June was reported, after a record May output. The copper market, also was unsettled. The May record of business failures was larger in number than since 1908 and greater in amount than for ten years.

The New York State loan and minor issues proved new financing was not impossible. Commission houses reported an investment demand for stocks which showed corrective forces at work.

MARINE.

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Str. Cherokee, 1,906 tons, Devereaux, New York, A. J. Becker.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Schooners.

Schr. Stephen G. Loud, 495 tons, Graham, Maffitt & Wood.

Brg. Lynn, 1,895 tons, Redman, Maffitt & Wood.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, June 7.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, at 34½ cents per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $3.90 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel; in casks 2c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $2.00 per barrel for hard; $3.00 per berrel for dip, and $3.00 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 45; rosin, $5.90; tar, $1.90; tar, firm, $1.90; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.25@$4.50 to $4.50.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	8
Rosin	15
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 5 casks; rosin, 19 barrels; tar, 5 barrels; crude turpentine, 17 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 11¾ for middling.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts, 196; same day last year, 2 bales.

Total receipts, since September 1st, 339,-842 bales.

Total receipts, same time last year, 508,-179 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, June 7.)

CORN—Firm, 75c per bu.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.00 to $1.25 per bu.

per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 75 to 80c.

PEAS—Dull. White, $2.00@$2.25 to $2.40; cow peas, $1.50 to $1.75 per bu.

BEEF—Native, dressed, 8c.

PORK—9 to 11c.

WOOL—Burry, 11c. to 12c. per lb.; free of burs, 15c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 10c. per lb.; dry, 17c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 18 to 19c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13 to 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, dull. Grown, 45 @50c.; Spring chickens, 20@30c. per head.

EGGS—Good Demand; 20c.

SHEEP—Old sheep, $1.00 to $2.50 per head. Lambs, $1.00 to $3.00 per head.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., June 7.

Atlantic Coast Line—196 bales cotton.

Str. Whitlock—8 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin.

Total—196 bales cotton; 8 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., June 7.

Market—Steady.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock prime hand-picked, 70c.; machine-picked, 65c.

Spanish—Prime hand-picked, $1.25; machine-picked, $1.20.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine-picked, 80c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., June 2.—Spanish—Market, Bran. Farmers' Spanish, $1.60 per bu.; No. 1, Shelled Spanish, 9½c. per lb.; No. 2, Shelled Spanish, 7c. per lb.

Virginias—Fancy Jumbo, 4c. per lb. Fancy Hand-Picked, 3½c. to 3¾c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb. Prime, 3¼c. per lb. Machine Picked, 3c. to 3½c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 2½c. to 3c. per lb.

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(advertisement.)

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

June 8, 1913.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 75 degrees; at 8 P. M., 75 degrees; maximum, 82 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 76 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .60; rainfall for the month, to date, 1.06.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 42 feet.

Weathern Prediction.

For North Carolina—Local thunder showers and cooler Sunday; Monday, cloudy.

The Port Calendar—June 8.

Sun rises	5:00 A. M.
Sun sets	7:22 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 20 min.

Tides.	High water.		Low water.	
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Wilmington	12:24	12:48	8:06	7:50
Southport	10:27	10:57	4:43	4:45
Masonboro Inlet	10:16	10:46	4:23	4:25

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

June 7, 1913.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Temperature: Lowest last night.	Precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	raining	86	66	.18
Asheville	raining	76	66	.46
Atlanta	cloudy	80	68	.42
Augusta	raining	78	70	.78
Birmingham	raining	82	68	.46
Boston	cloudy	86	62	.34
Charleston	cloudy	82	74	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	84	68	.04
Chicago	pt. cldy	48	44	.01
Galveston	clear	84	76	.0
Jacksonville	clear	86	72	.0
Memphis	pt cldy	86	70	.0
Mobile	cloudy	80	74	.54
Montgomery	cloudy	86	70	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	86	74	.12
New York	pt cldy	80	62	.76
Oklahoma	cloudy	78	64	.98
Pittsburg	cloudy	74	72	.94
Raleigh	cloudy	88	68	.02
Savannah	cloudy	84	74	.10
Shreveport	pt. cldy	94	72	.0
St. Louis	cloudy	76	72	.0
Washington	cloudy	86	68	.02

TRUSTEE TRINITY COLLEGE.

Well Known Concord Editor Chosen on Board—Others.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Concord, N. C., June 6.—Mr. John B. Sherrill returned yesterday from Durham, where he has been attending Trinity College commencement. Mr. Sherrill was elected a trustee of Trinity to succeed the late Judge W. J. Montgomery, of this city, and Rev. G. T. Rowe, of Greensboro, was elected a trustee to succeed the late Mr. J. W. Alspaugh, of Winston-Salem.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	68⅛
American Agricultural	47
American Beet Sugar	23½
American Can	24⅛
American Can, pfd	85½
American Car and Foundry	41
American Cotton Oil	37
American Ice Securities	20
American Linseed	8
American Locomotive	29⅝
American Smelting and Ref	61⅛
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	98
Amer. Sugar Ref	107
American Tel and Tel	127⅛
American Tobacco	207
Anaconda Mining Co	34⅜
Atchison	95⅛
Atchison, pfd	97
Atlantic Coast Line	117½
Baltimore and Ohio	92½
Bethlehem Steel	29
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	88⅜
Canadian Pacific	219½
Central Leather	19
Chesapeake and Ohio	57½
Chicago Great Western	11⅛
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	103½
Chicago and Northwestern	126½
Colorado Fuel and Iron	26⅝
Consolidated Gas	129
Corn Products	8½
Delwaare and Hudson	149
Denver and Rio Grande	15¾
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	27
Distillers' Securities	10⅝
Erie	24½
Erie, 1st pfd	26¾
Erie, 2nd pfd	30¾
General Electric	134
Great Northern, pfd	122¾
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	28
Illinois Central	112
Interborough-Met	13½
Interborough-Met., pfd	47½
Inter-Harvester	100½
Inter-Marine, pfd	14
International Paper	8½
International Pump	6½
Kansas City Southern	22½
Laclede Gas	90¾
Lehigh Valley	150
Louisville and Nashville	129
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	121
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	19⅝
Missouri Pacific	28⅛
National Biscuit	110
National Lead	45½
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	17
New York Central	98¼
New York, Ont. and Western	27⅝
Norfolk and Western	102⅝
North American	66
Northern Pacific	110
Pacific Mail	17⅝
Pennsylvania	108⅝
People's Gas	109½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	90½
Pittsburg Coal	15⅝
Pressed Steel Car	21⅝
Pullman Palace Car	152
Reading	159⅝
Republic Iron and Steel	19¼
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	76¼
Rock Island Co	14⅜
Rock Island Co., pfd	25½
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	7
Seaboard Air Line	15½
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	39⅛
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	25
Southern Pacific	92⅝
Southern Railway	24¼
Southern Railway, pfd	74
Tennessee Copper	32¼
Texas and Pacific	11⅜
Union Pacific	144¼
Union Pacific, pfd	81
United States Realty	65
United States Rubber	58
United States Steel	54⅝
United States Steel, pfd	104⅛
Utah Copper	45⅛
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	20¼
Wabash	2⅞
Wabash, pfd	7
Western Maryland	24
Western Union	60
Westinghouse Electric	58
Wheeling and Lake Erie	3⅞

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, June 7.—Flour steady.

Wheat—Spot easy, No. 2 red nominal; No. 1 Northern Duluth 11 1-4.

Corn—Spot easy, exports 66 1-2.

Hides, Leather, Rice and Molassos—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw, steady; Muscovado 2.80 to 2.83; Centrifugal 96 test 3.30 to 3.35; Refined steady.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Firm

Coffee—Spot, steady; Rio 7s 10 3-4; Santos 4s, 14 1-2; mild, quiet; Cordova 14 to 17 nominal.

Potatoes, Freights and Cabbages—Steady and unchanged.

Cottonseed Oil—Dull and featureless with prices easier in absence of outside support. Closing prices were 1 to 5 points net lower; sales 1,500 barrels. Prime crude nominal; prime Summer yellow 7.20 bid; June 7.21; July 7.16; August 7.22; September 7.23; October 6.89; November 6.36; December 6.30; January 6.32. Prime Winter yellow 7.25 bid; prime Summer white 7.45 bid.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET

New York, June 7.—Cotton goods markets are steady with trade good. Silk piece goods and ribbons are scarce in wanted shades for immediate delivery. Yarns rule quiet and easy. Jobbers are to hold special sales during the coming week.

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LA GRECQUE and LA REINE

For Style, for Comfort and for Quality they are the two best corsets on the market today and they are handled exclusively by the

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We have them in any style, shape and design you may desire, price from $1.00 to $5.00.

We also carry the "Empire Corset" and for a 50 cent corset nothing made in the corset line equals it.

Read this and remember it. We will put on sale for this week a new shipment of Balkan Blouses in all the best shades and latest styles, and will price these garments at 98c and $1.25.

Mosquito Nets, $1.18, $1.48, $1.85 $2.75, All ready for instant use.

PORCH SCREENS

Six feet long 98c
Eight feet long $1.38
Ten feet long $1.68

Special Hat Sale

Gray Plaid Mohair Hats, nobby, stylish and the newest fad out $1.50
$1.50 and $1.25 Ratine Hats in plain white and colors, for 69c

Ribbon Bargains

Best qualities of Persion Ribbon in all shades, will sell this week from 25c to 75c

Underwear of All Kinds

for everybody, man, woman and child.

We sell the ordinary 10c gauze vest for ladies at 6c and other kinds in proportion.

Sole Agents for the Justly Famous MUNSING UNDERWEAR

You can buy your Bath Suit, Bath Cap and Sandals 25 per cent. cheaper at this store than anywhere else in the city.

210, 212, 214 North Front Street

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, June 7.—Money on call nominal, no loans. Time loans stronger; 60 days 4 1-4 to 4 1-2 per cent.; 90 days 4 1-2 to 4 3-4; six months, 5 1-4 to 5 1-2. Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange firm at 4.8315 for 60 day bills and at 4.8685 for demand. Commercial bills 4.82 3-4. Bar silver 59 5-8. Mexican dollars 49. Government and railroad bonds irregular.

THE NAVAL STORES MARKET.

New York, June 7.—Turpentine steady. Rosin easy.

Savannah, June 7.—Turpentine firm 35 1-4; sales 514; receipts 848; shipments 4,741; stocks 21,942.

Rosin firm; sales none; receipts 2,-610; shipments 1,800; stocks 98,369. Quote: A B, 4.00; C D, 4.35; E, 4.60; F, 4.75; G, 4.75; H, 4.75; I, 4.75; K, 4.90; M, 5.40; N, 6.15; WG, 6.45; WW, 6:50.

Children's Day Monday at Carolina Beach. Music by Johnson-Scelzi Orchestra. Only 10 cents round trip, children and adults. Spend a day with the kids at the safest beach on the South Atlantic. Watch it develop.
(Advertisement.)

A NERVE TONIC

Horsford's Acid Phosphate

Recommended for relief of insomnia, impaired nerve force and fatigue.
(advertisement.)

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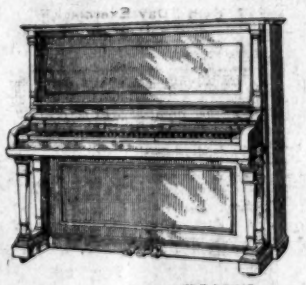
$400 PIANO ABSOLUTELY FREE FOR THE BEST NAME

NAME A NEW PIANO



$400 PIANO ABSOLUTELY FREE

For us and win a Handsome Reward. A splendid New Piano is being made for us, and we want a name for it. We've decided to leave it to the public. If you have no Piano in your home, here's your chance to win one absolutely free. Every one can contest. There are no conditions. The best name gets the Piano.

Directions: Write out on this sheet, or any other piece of paper, or any other material, the name you suggest for a Piano—any name you like best—a precious stone, a flower, a music celebrity—any name you would like to have on a Piano in your home. For the best name we will give, absolutely free your choice, this beautiful $400 Piano (including stool and scarf).

Can You Solve This Puzzle?

It Can Be Done

In this Picture Puzzle are Seven Faces. Can you find five of them? Outline each face with a pen or pencil on this or a separate sheet of paper and number them 1, 2, 3, etc. To all persons sending us a solution to this puzzle, whether their answer be correct or not, we will give a Fountain Pen or Gold Plated Locket.

NAME OF PIANO .....

YOUR NAME .....

STREET AND NUMBER .....

CITY ..... STATE .....

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TAFT VISITS WHITE HOUSE.

The Guest of President Wilson—Talks With Speaker Clark.

Washington, June 7.—Former President Taft made his first visit to the White House today since he left on March 4th to become a private citizen. Mr. Taft was the luncheon guest of the President and Mrs. Wilson, but before he sat down to the White House table again he made a brief visit to the executive offices and shook hands with all the old employes he knew.

Before his White House call, Mr. Taft motored to the Capitol and got lost. He went to the House wing and looked for Speaker Clark in the chamber. The House was not in session, and only empty benches greeted him. He strolled through the lobby and stepped confidently up to the door of Representative Underwood's private office to find it locked.

"I'm looking for Speaker Clark," said Mr. Taft.

"That's not his office," suggested a by-stander, who pointed out the proper door.

"I'm looking for a gentleman named Champ Clark," said Mr. Taft as he entered.

Speaker Clark jumped from behind a newspaper and shouted: "How are you?"

The former President and the Speaker conferred for some time. Both are members of the Lincoln Memorial Association, which will meet here next Monday.

"I am the happiest man in the United States," declared Mr. Taft, as he left the Speaker's office. Pointing to Mr. Clark, he observed: "The Speaker hasn't changed any, I find."

"I haven't been on this side in more than four years," added Mr. Taft. "I used to come up and lobby as Secretary of War."

MEETING OF SECRETARIES.

Annual Convention of the Association. Officers Elected.

Charleston, S. C., June 7.—Bruce Kennedy, of Montgomery, Ala., was elected president of the Southern Commercial Secretaries' Association at the closing session of the Secretaries' annual convention here today. Other officers were elected as follows:

A. V. Snell, Charleston, secretary-treasurer.

A. C. McKand, financial secretary.

Executive committee, H. H. Richardson, Jacksonville; Adolph Boldt, Houston, Texas; John M. Tuther, Memphis; vice president: W. C. Radcliffe, Birmingham; W. N. Conoly, Live Oak, Fla.; Fred Houser, Atlanta; J. H. Warburton, Salisbury, N. C.; A. S. Johnstone, Greenville, S. C.; L. M. Ward, Sherman, Texas; H. S. Herring, New Orleans; John M. Tuther, Memphis; A. P. Bourland, Washington, D. C.; R. J. Beacham, Baltimore; F. H. Andrews, Vicksburg; E. C. McCarty, Charlottesville, Va.

The next convention will be held in Vicksburg in 1914.

The delegates left here at 5 o'clock this afternoon for Baltimore to attend the National Convention of Advertising Clubs.

SUFFRAGETTES SENTENCED.

Condemned in Damage Suit by King's Bench Court—Loud Protests.

London, June 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Pethick, Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, Miss Christabel Pankhurst and Mrs. Mabel Tuke, representing the Woman's Social and Political Union, were today condemned by the King's bench court to pay $1,840 damages in a suit brought by a number of West End London shopkeepers for damage done in smashing windows during suffragette raids.

The hearing lasted three days. As this was a test case, it is expected that many similar suits will follow.

Five dollars fine or 14 days' imprisonment was the sentence imposed on each of the three women who attempted to interrupt the peace conference at St. James' Palace yesterday. When the judge refused postponement of the trial today suffragette sympathizers in the court shouted protests.

MEETING OF RAILROADERS.

Edward J. Clark Recounts Many Reminiscences in Address.

Washington, June 7.—Inter-State Commerce Commissioner Edgar J. Clark, formerly grand chief of the Order of Railway Conductors of America, today addressed the convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen recounting his work of re-organization and reminiscences of the days when he was a railroad man.

Discusion of various amendments to the constitution and by-laws was the principal business of today's sessions.

Children's Day Monday at Carolina Beach. Music by Johnson-Sceizi Orchestra. Only 10 cents round trip, children and adults. Spend a day with the kids at the safest beach on the South Atlantic. Watch it develop. (Advertisement.)

¶ The race is not always to the swift—but most always.

¶ That hare and tortoise race would hardly be classed as a sporting event now.

¶ It is the man who delivers the goods who has the blue ribbon pinned on him in this year of our Lord.

¶ If you are running a square race young man, and the race goes to the tortoise, what you need is another job.

¶ Try the want ad way.

AMATEUR YACHTSMAN

W. P. Burton to be Entrusted With Command of Shamrock IV.

London, June 7.—"In entrusting the command of Shamrock IV. in the races for America's cup to an amateur yachtsman, W. P. Burton, I am aware I am doing something unprecedented," said Sir Thomas Lipton today, "but I believe the rustls will fully justify the wisdom of my choice.

"I regard Burton fully the equal of any professional skipper in this country, the proof of which he repeatedly has given while sailing against them in various yachts he has owned, notably with the 19-metre Octavia in 1911, when he finished the season at the top of the class."

"Of course," Sir Thomas pointed out, "Burton will have the benefit of a professional skipper throughout the races—two if he wants them—and Nicholson, the Shamrock's designer, who is in the front rank of amateur yachtsmen will also sail on the Challenger. Nicholson shares my high opinion of Burton."

"So far as the races are concerned," Sir Thomas said in conclusion, "I shall simply foot the bills and let Burton do the rest."

TOWNS AND VILLAGES CAPTURED

Mexican Rebels Active—Decree Protecting Foreigners Issued

Eagle Pass, Texas, June 7.—Montemorelos Teran Cerralvo, Pesquiera, Bravo and San Juan, all towns and villages i nthe State of Nuevo Leon, have fallen into the hands of the rebels, according to reports made today to Governor Carranza, leader of the rebellious Mexican forces in the north. Carranzas headquarters are at Piedgras Negras, opposite Eagle Pass.

Major Uribe, commander of the rebels in Neuvo Leon, whose men captured the six places, reported to the Governor that the skirmishes had been attended with considerable Federal loss. No mention was made of Uribes casualties. Carranza today issued a decree directing his subordinates to not molest foreigners and promising punishment to all who disobeyed.

MINE EXPLOSION

Two Killed and More Than a Dozen Are Hurt

Shamokin, Pa., June 7.—Two miners were killed and more than a dozen were hurt today in an explosion in the Scott shaft, four from here operated by the Susquehanna Coal Company. The explosion occurred on the second lift of a slope almost a mile under ground and the slope immediately caught fire.

Business Locals

Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, but a small charge for strictly Messenger Service; calls will be made, or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams; bills rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union." But for advertisements, always call the Star Office, No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

50 ACRES land facing Masonboro road and sond, with 5-room cottage; 15 acres cleared. Good home and farm proposition; $42.50 per acre. Telephone 332 and will show you. L. W. Moore, Real Estate, 123 Princess st. je8-1t

BUILDING AND LOAN—The great money-saver. Can secure tomorrow shares in the Carolina, 25c. per week per share. Telephone 332. L. W. Moore, secretary; E. T. Taylor, president. je8-1t

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage on Sixth, between Church and Castle. Sewerage, electric lights, etc. Only small amount of cash required; balance rent money. Splendid proposition. Telephone 332. L. W. Moore, Real Estate, 123 Princess street. je8-1t

SUBURBAN HOME on Federal Point road half mile car line. 6 1-2 acres land and new cottage. Good bargain. Telephone 332. L. W. Moore, Real Estate. je8-1t

SPLENDID new six-room cottage on Wrightsville turnpike and Pender avenue, Carolina Place. Small amount cash, balance as rent money. Telephone 332. L. W. Moore. je8-1t

90 FEET water front, 500 feet deep, for $2,250.00. Will never be as cheap again. Telephone 332, for particulars. L. W. Moore, Real Estate, 123 Princess street. je8-1t

ALL GROCERIES and canned goods must be sold Monday. Everything at cost. Fancy tomatoes, 15c. quart; 40c. large basket. Palace Market. je8-1t

SALESMAN—Capable specialty man for North Carolina. Staple line on new and exceptional terms. Vacancy now. Attractive commission contract. $35.00 weekly for expenses. Miles F. Bixler Co., 1923 Carlin Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio. je8-1t*

FOR RENT—Furnished, four rooms, kitchen and bath in desirable locality. Terms reasonable. Address "R," Box 716, City. je8-6t

FOR RENT — Large front room, nicely furnished, privilege bath. 'Phone and electric lights; will rent reasonable. 'Phone 1515-J. Call at 221 N. Fourth street. je8-1t*

WANTED—By a leading life insurance company, an agent for Wilmington and vicinity. Special contract. Address "Insurance," care Star. je8-1t*

THE BELLAMY Grocery and Produce Company are now opening at 13 Princess street a full line of staple and fancy groceries. Goods delivered anywhere in the city, including Sunset Park and Carolina Heights. Polite clerks always ready to wait on you. Call 'phone 825, and get prices, and it will be to your advantage to give us a trial order. Fresh eggs and chickens received every day or two. je8-6t

NEW HANOVER FARM lands have proven their value in the past. We are now offering for sale some of the best that can be found, on long terms, located on improved roads; will sell as low as ten acres in a tract. Own a farm. Watson & Applewhite, 210 Princess. 'Phone 65. je8-1t

FIVE THREE ROOM houses, renting for $20.00 per month, or $240.00 per year; located in the southern section of the city, can be bought for $1,650.00; figure this out and see what you can get for the money you have to invest, and call Watson & Applewhite, Real Estate, 210 Princess; 'Phone 65. je8-1t

WANTED—To buy and sell Real Estate in all parts of the city; in need of several well located homes. If you have anything to sell, or want to buy, call Watson & Applewhite, Real Estate, 210 Princess; 'Phone 65. je8-1t

OTTO LEHMAN—Rigger and House Mover, No. 12 North Second street. Houses moved and raised; safes, boilers and machinery moved; stacks raised and painted. All kinds of hoisting done. All work guaranteed. je8-1t*

YOU MAY COLLAR AND CUFF us as much as you please. The more you do so the happier we will be. 'Phone 29. Wilmington Steam Laundry, "Better than the rest." je8-3t

TO INSURE PROMPT SERVICE during these rush times please let us have yours early in the week. 'Phone 29. Wilmington Steam Laundry. Oldest, Largest, Best. je8-3t

HAVE YOU JOINED THE PROCESSION If not, you can be accommodated. Get your linen in the "Suds;" the "Suds" are fine. 'Phone 29. Wilmington Steam Laundry. "The New Way." je8-3t

REAL LIVE PET—First three letters received from three little girls will receive a pet. U. S. Woolen Mills Co., 109 Princess street. je8-1t*

THE GEORGIA COTTAGE, opposite the Paris Cottage, is open for guests. Will serve sea foods suppers. Board by the day, meal or month. Mrs. M. A. Crabb. je8-1t*

WANTED—A position as stenographer by young lady. Can furnish references. Address "L. O. C.," care Star. je8-1t

CAROLINA BEACH—Sacred concert today by Johnson-Sceizi orchestra. Three boats. Spend a quiet day or the evening at restful Carolina. Excellent fish dinner procurable at moderate prices. Come on and go down with us. You will enjoy the trip. Str. Wilmington leaves foot of Princess street, 9:00, 2:30 and 7:30. je8-1t

DELIGHTFUL apartment for rent, Carolina Apartment House, corner Fifth and Market streets. Cool, comfortable and convenient. Saving of worry, money, servants, and high cost of living. Apply to J. G. Wright & Son, agents; 124 Princess street. je8-3t

TO RENT—House on Third street, furnished or unfurnished; suitable for private home or two light housekeeping apartments. Telephone 818 or address "E. C." care Star. je8-6t*

GEORGE LUTTERLOH, for 17 years cook at Carolina Beach, has charge of the kitchen at Seaside Inn, Wrightsville Beach, this season, where the best sea food meals are served. je8-1t

PARIS COTTAGE—New building, well equipped on Wrightsville Beach, at Station 6, near Lumina, (the great dancing pavilion and bathing place). Rates reasonable. je8,11,15,18-4t*

FOR RENT—Two neatly furnished rooms. 119 Orange. 'Phone 1767-J. je8-1t*

WANTED—Man in each locality to open up branch office in our name; can make from $4,000 to $7,000 yearly. Investment of $100 necessary to start with. We furnish instructions and get business for you. Send 10 cents postage for full instructions and contract. Curiosity seekers keep your postage). This is a business proposition. G. C Company, Dept. 91, Potts' Camp, Miss. je8-1t*

FIVE THREE ROOM houses, good condition, located at Ninth and Wright, renting for $20.00 per month. Can be bought for $1,600.00. Wilder & Metts, Agents. je8-1t

NORTHEAST CORNER of 10th and Dock, 45x65 feet in size. Will sell for a remarkable low figure, if bought before Tuesday. Wilder & Metts, Agents. je8-1t

WANTED—Summer boarders. Delightful climate; fine lithia water. Good table board. Write for rates by week. Two blocks from deport. "Hoke House." Mrs. T. O. Covington, Proprietress, Lincolnton, N. C. je8-1t*

SALESMAN—Experienced in any line, to sell general trade in North Carolina. Unexcelled specialty proposition. Commission contract. $35 weekly for expenses. Continental Jewelry Co., 13223 Continental Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio. je8-1t*

FOR RENT—One large, airy, front room, furnished. Southern exposure, to gentlemen only. Apply 105 Dock street; Third floor. je8-1t*

FOR RENT—Nice front room, furnished. Apply 313 Red Cross street. je8-1t*

OFFICE in Carolina Apartment House for rent. Recently used by electrical firm. Free water, heat and sewerage. Central location and splendid business stand. Apply J. G. Wright & Son, Agents, 124 Princess street. je8-3t

FOR SALE—286 feet front, 855 feet deep, 15 minutes from car line; Market Street road, next to Capt. Edgar Williams. Geo. H. Ward, 808 North Fifth street. 'Phone 1503-J. je8-1t*

60 ACRES heavily timbered land on salt water. Will sell cheap to quick buyer. Telephone 332. L. W. Moore. je8-1t

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms. Privileges of new modern house. References exchanged. Address "Rooms" Box 176, City. je 8-1t*

WANTED—Houses to fit with the New invention in patented fly and mosquito escape screens. Frank Wright, patentee. W. J. Spooner, agent, 121 1-2 Market street. je 8-1t*

FOR RENT—911 Princess street. House with nine rooms, all modern improvements. Apply No. 120 N. Third street. je 8-2t*

FOR RENT—The seven-room modern house, 205 N. Seventh street. Possession June 15th. Apply at 110 So. Fifth street. Phone 650. je 8-1t*

NICELY FURNISHED rooms with board, all modern conveniences. Use of phone. Private family. Phone 1788-J. 117 Nun street. je 8-1t*

A BEAUTIFUL HOME for sale at Carolina Heights. This is a thoroughly modern seven-room house, on Princess street, between 19th and 20th. The price is less than $4,000 and the terms are easy. See Watson & Applewhite, for further particulars. 210 Princess street. je 8-1t

FOR THE CONVENIENCE of those who overlooked subscribing for stock in the 23rd series of the Rural Building & Loan Association the subscription book will be kept open for another week. James Owen Reilly, secretary and treasurer, 118 Princess street. je 8-3t.

A VERY DESIRABLE RESIDENCE on Fifth street, near Ann, can be bought at a very low figure. House is new and has all modern conveniences. In the prettiest and best kept part of the city. For terms apply to James Owen Reilly, Real Estate and Fire Insurance. je 8-1t.

BURGLARS!—Protect your home from burglars by taking out a Burglary policy in the Maryland Casualty Co. Rate is only $12.50 per $1,000. For particulars phone 776. James Owen Reilly, Agent for the Maryland Casualty Company. je 8-1t

FOR RENT—Housekeeping apartment in "Cape Fear", first floor. Southern exposure. Possession given July 1st. See M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate. je 8-1t

FOR SALE or exchange. Five passenger car, like new. Will exchange for runabout or real estate. Address "C. C. H." care Star. je 8-6t.

FOR RENT—Four rooms, all connecting, for light housekeeping. Apply to 401 South Fourth street. je 8-1t*

FOR RENT—A modern home, on Seventh, near Market, 8 rooms in good order. See M. C. Darby & Co. je 8-1t.

FOR RENT—14 South Ninth, six rooms, modern, See M. C. Darby & Co. je 8-1t.

FOR RENT—Furnished cottage, Wrightsville Beach, ocean side, at reduced rates to July 1st. See M. C. Darby & Co. je 8-1t.

A FIVE-ROOM cottage near Front and Queen can be bought in the next few days for less than $2,000. Modern conveniences, and in splendid condition. Can negotiate good loan. Remember this is on the market for only a limited time. King & Seigler, 204 Princess street. je 8-1t.

FIVE HOUSES in good renting section, for less than $1,600. Will pay over 15 per cent on investment. See James & James, Insurance & Real Estate. 'Phone 163, Orton Hotel building. je 8-1t.

CAROLINA PLACE lot. We are offering a bargain in a well-located lot at this delightful suburb. Southern exposure, and splendid neighbors. King & Seigler, 'Phone 422. je 8-1t.

WANTED—Ambitious young men to become traveling salesman. Hundreds of good openings. Write for particulars. Bradstreet Training System, Rochester, N. Y. je 8-1t*

FOR RENT—House No. 904 North Sixth street. Seven large rooms with bath. Newly papered, in good condition. je 8-1t.

BOARDERS WANTED.— Regular and transient. Rates reasonable. Mrs. Attella W. Mason, 203 Red Cross street. je 8-1t.*

YOUNG MAN wants position as grocery clerk. Have had experience and can give good references. Address "B. B." care Star. je 8-1t*

FOR SALE—Combination saddle and buggy horse. Apply Box 404. je 8-1t.*

FOR SALE—One 3 H. P. engine and boiler; one 10 H. P. engine and boiler; one 15 H. P. engine and boiler; one 25 H. P. engine and boiler; one 30 H. P. engine; one 40 H. P. engine; one 50 H. P. engine; one 60 H. P. engine and boiler; one 75 H. P. engine and boiler. This stock is all in first-class condition, and will be sold at bargain prices to move it quickly. Machinery Yard, Wilmington Iron Works, Wilmington, N. C. je 8-1t.

FOR SALE—Two 80 H. P. return tubular boilers, with fronts, grates and some other fittings. Both boilers tested to 150 pounds pressure for any interested customer. Special removal price $150 each. Nothing better. Machinery Yard, Wilmington Iron Works. je 8-1t.

WANTED AT ONCE—Position as bookkeeper or shipping clerk. Can give references. Address "Bookkeeper" care Star. je 8-1t.*

CYPRESS is conceded to be the best exterior building material on the market. Also has few equals for interior finish. We have large stock on hand. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. Office 17 Princess street. 'Phone 836. je 8-1t.

SIDING—Car 1-2x6 yellow pine square-edged siding received last week. Another on the road. Let us show it to you "on the job." Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. je 8-1t.

DID YOU READ our recent ad about that car of 3-4 long leaf heart porch flooring? Others did, and it is going fast. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. je 8-1t.

I DON' WANT YOU to have a wreck, though should you have one, I can make your car look well again. 'Phone 879. J. L. Memory, No. 7 Market street. je 8-1t.

FOR SALE—One Iver Johnson Lady's Bicycle; used very little, as good as new, at half price. May be seen at 315 Grace street, from 3 to 4 P. M. 'Phone 182-J. je 8-2t*

FOR SALE—One famous W. & W. flanged steel, internally fired, 75 H. P. Scotch marine type boiler. Used only long enough to give it a good test. Cost new just $1,240. Our price for prompt acceptance $375. This boiler requires no brick for setting. Machinery Department, Wilmington Iron Works. je 8-1t

WANTED—In every town in North Carolina district agents for the best accident and health insurance written, also local agents. Address Agency Supervisor, Box 514, Wilson, N. C. je 8-10-12-3t*

FOR RENT—On car line, in very desirable neighborhood, cottage, six rooms, strictly modern. Large yard, fruit and flowers. Two-story barn and stable. See M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate. je 8-1t

FOR SALE—One family horse, safe and sound. Apply to Eduard Ahrens, care Ahrens Bros. my18-tf

GROCERY and General Merchandise for sale or rent. Well established trade; fine residents; good chance for young beginner or anybody with small capital. Good reason for selling. C. R. Pape, S. E. cor. 7th and Harnett. je5-6t*

GOVERNMENT positions are easy to get. My free booklet Y-1319 tells how. Write today—now. Earl Hopkins, Washington, D. C. je1,4,8,11,15,18,22,25,25,29*

STARLIGHT river excursion Friday night, June 13th, Steamer Wilmington. Auspices Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church. Fare of 25c. je8,12,13-3t

MY SPRING AND SUMMER line of fashionable piece goods, suitings and trouserings is now ready for inspection. All the latest styles, finest materals, everything guaranteed. Everything else pertaining to tailoring line done. No mail orders. Leger Meyer, the Practical Tollor, Princess building, second floor. ap27-su-tf

FOR SALE very cheap, one 1,000 pound Howe scale, 2 complete, large and brilliant gasoline store lights. One seine, 250 yards, 100 meshes, 2¼ inch, ready for fishing. One eight-day wall clock, one phaeton. Can be seen at 223 N. Seventh street. Address "Manufacturer," care Star. je1,8,15,22,29-5t

FOR SALE—A nicely located lot and new two-story store building. Will sell cheap. Vacant lots at close prices. As good trucking land as can be found anywhere, and in any size tract desired. Also some fine timber tracts. Also two store lots in Southport Heights. Call on or write C. N. Leonard Real Estate, Bolivia, N. C. je1,8-2t*

FOR SALE CHEAP—Gasolene boat Onslow, 40 feet long, 9 foot beam, 20 H. P. Bridgeport engine. Paragon clutch. Main cabin will sleep six persons; galley complete; toilet and wash stand; fresh water tank; dynamo and electric lights. W. N. Lawton, Box 36, Jacksonville, N. C. je1-su-4t

400 PER CENT profit, selling our pillow ops. High grade work; easy sales. Samples and catalogue free. Luther Gordon Co., Northwestern Bldg., Chicago. my25-su3t*

BE A DETECTIVE—Big pay. Easy work. Travel. We show you. Write for ree particulars explaining everything. Write today. Frederick Wagner, 1243 Lexington avenue, New York. my11su20t

FOR SHAMPOO, manicure and hairdressing, call Theresa I. Pierce; 'Phone 1522-W. Services day or night. At hotel or residence. je6,8-2t*

LOST — Your opportunity; you are to blame. Really the work is done good. It is true we spend very little in advertising, but spare no time or labor on our work. The result is our advertisement. Special attention is given to out-of-town work. Coster's Dyeing and Cleaning Works, Wilmington, N. C. Phone 148. je4,6,8-3t

FANCY TOMATOES today, 40c. large basket. Extra nice cauliflower, blackberries, fresh green corn, cantaloupes, egg plants, etc. Extra choice beef, veal, lamb and pork. We still have full stock on hand and are looking for your business today. 'Phone 72. Palace Market. je7-1t

FOR RENT—Desirable rooms with board in good location; convenient to Coast Line offices. 'Phone 1084, or apply 512 North Third street. je6-3t*

COLD STORAGE—The Independent Ice Co. is soliciting business for its Cold Storage Department. We want eggs, butter, cheese, fresh meats, dried fruits, etc., to be kept in absolutely dry refrigerated rooms at the proper temperature suited to each class of goods. Cold Storage Department, The Independent Ice Co. je5-4t

THE INDEPENDENT Ice Co.—If it is cold ice you are looking for, stop right here. We have got it for you. Our prices are based on a cold-blooded business basis. Our service is the best ever. The Independent Ice Co. je5-4t

WE LEND MONEY on real estate anywhere in New Hanover County. Building and Loan Associations are North Carolina's biggest asset. Finest system for saving and building yet devised. Fifth series open Saturday, June 7th. Subscribe now. Progressive Building and Loan Association, J. M. Solky, president; W. N. Harriss, vice-president; Jos. J. Laughlin, sec'y-treas. Office, 200 Princess street. je5-6t

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THE INSUFFICIENCY OF LABOR

Mr. C. R. Speight Discusses Conditions Which Obtain in the South and Suggests Some Remedies—Lessons.

Smith's Bridge, N. C., May 12. 1913.

Mr. Editor:—One of the problems of the day is the labor question. I do not agree with the idea quite prevalent, that there is a scarcity of laborers. I believe there is plenty of laborers to amply supply every demand for labor. I venture the assertion without the fear of successful contradiction, that there is plenty of idle labor in North Carolina to fill every vacancy, even on the busiest days. The reason for labor's not filling its mission is not due to its all being properly employed—there is an abundance of idle labor everywhere we go—we find it drifting leisurely about through the country, congregated around railroad stations, loafing in the streets—raolroad cars loaded with idle labor.

The abundance of this idle labor is not justified by an overplus of subsistence. Evidence sufficient to sustain this conclusion is lacking in many instances, but there is a reason for it, and my conclusions are, that it has never been required to be different. If a laborer owes an obligation to an employer, and has not the strength of character, tempered with a high sense of duty which impels him to action, he, in my opinion, should be compelled to it through some medium which he must provide.

I believe that every man should labor. I believe every man should be compelled to labor, because it is a safeguard against the alluring temptations to which the idle are exposed. I believe that if the thousands, yea, the hundreds of thousands, who are today wearing the convict's stripe, had been compelled to work, they would have been enjoying the freedom of honest persons, and filling positions of trust, where their might have been efficient services are needed in the industrial world. I will venture the prediction, that unless there is some scheme instituted, which will compel more of the idle to work, there will ere long be a congestion in the penal institutions of our country. The daily newspapers bring us frequent evidences, upon which we may, to some extent, base our conclusions on this score.

People should work, too, because we are taught in the "Book", that by the sweat of our face we are to eat bread—"Go work in my vineyard. There is plenty to do." "The sluggard would not plow by reason of the cold, therefore shall he beg in the harvest and have nothing."

Now after trying to show some reasons why men should work, I am going to mention a plan which I believe would compel men to be more prompt in discharging their duty faithfully to their employers. It is a well regulated bonding system. I will answer objections to this system by saying that labor is labor, no matter where it is employed, whether in banks, express offices, mail services, or any other position of trust—every position occupied by laborers is one of trust—from the man between the handles of a Georgia buggy to the fellow with his pen behind his ear in a Wall Street bank. So reasoning from the point of view, that a bonding system is necessarily applied to the latter, why not it apply effectively to the more humble vocations incident to industrial life?

I am persuaded that if a bonding system should be applied to laborers, there would be an awakening amongst the throng of idlers—the like never known. To illustrate, suppose "Jones" applies for a position and he is advised that a bond is required, as a guarantee for the faithful discharge of his obligations, "Jones" begins to look around him for a bondsman, and again he is informed that some reference as to his stamina must be forthcoming, and it turns out that "Jones" has belonged to the trifling, irresponsible, loafing gang of idlers. Are we not safe in concluding that he would get busy and put forth an effort to qualify himself, when he realizes that it is bond or no job, consequently, no meat or bread? Would he not quit the haunts of shame, and forsake the loafing retreats, and allow his moral standard to rise to a point where at least, he would be respected as a faithful man, a man whose statements could be considered truthful?

There are scores of laborers who are loafing—not because they are financially able, but because they have drifted into idleness and are apprentices in the "devil's workshop", from whom they will sooner or later, receive their striped diplomas, bowed down with shame and remorse. They go out in the world to join the almost innumerable hosts of convicts who received their diplomas from the same school masters.

I believe a bonding system will not only give to the industrial world more satisfactory labor, but will save many from the pitfalls into which idlers are liable to stumble. I would be glad to hear from others on this subject. Let us not stand by with our hands in our pockets, and try to excuse ourselves by saying, "We are not our brother's keeper." "No man liveth unto himself," is a truth which we are forced to accept, because some of us have some influence, and the call is to exert it in the right direction. Let us have a line from your pen.

Labor is clamoring for higher wages every day, and the industrial world stands ready to meet the demand, provided it can get value received for the advancement. But "hereby hangs a tail!"

The employer is not getting value received for what he is already paying out directly to labor in his employment. Some employers of labor are not getting value received in the matter of repairs and supplies, which are excessively high—made so, not because of high-priced labor, but is traceable to trifling, irresponsible, unfaithful, dilatory labor employed in the shops and factories where the employer gets his repairs and supplies. The evidence to sustain the truth in this paragraph may be verified by the experience of some of our neighbors, who declare that they can and do get much more satisfactory work done in Philadelphia, where 75 cents an hour is charged, than it is possible to get in some of our nearby shops, where 60 cents an hour is charged. Why this difference? I answer by saying that in the 75 cents an hour shops, the employe is ever on the alert to the best interest of his employer, while on the other hand, the employe is indifferent to the best interest of the shop and its patrons. I repeat, that these conditions will continue until it is made different, which I believe can be done by a well regulated bonding system, of which the honest, faithful laborer need not have any fears.

There is another reason for existing conditions among laboring people, which seems to have grown out of the idea that labor is undignified. There appeared an article in the Southern Lumber Journal a short time ago, from the pen of someone who very ably refuted the idea that the man who labors with his hands is for that reason, undignified. This writer contends that the idea that labor is undignified, is due to a lack of right training, which I accept as true. Many wrong ideas have developed because of the lack of right training, but this discovery will not correct the unsatisfactory conditions which have grown out of wrong ideas, any more than the conduct of a criminal can be corrected by the discovery of a violation of common law. Something must be done.

"If a bird can sing and will not sing, it should be made to sing."

This is from the pen of a working man, therefore, let none be led to the wrong conclusion that some corporation is making a thrust at labor through the medium of the press.

It is uppermost in my mind and heart to do or say something that will improve the labor conditions, and at the same time save the idle laborer from the felon's doom.

C. R. SPEIGHT.

The farmer's idea of an easy, carefree life is to move to town and run a restaurant.—Philadelphia Ledger.

GOSSIP OF FOREIGN CAPITALS

German Militarists Not Satisfied With Billion Marks for Armament—The Affair of Krupp — Olympian Sports—Police Censorship.

(By Associated Press.)

Berlin, June 7.—Even the pending "billion mark bill," appropriating $250,000,000 for German armaments, is not enough to satisfy German militarists. A campaign for further increases in the German army, to begin as soon as the present legislation is out of the way, already is signalized, and the direction in which non-official pressure on the government, so successful in the case of the pending measure, will be applied, already is indicated.

The proposed additions to Germany's armed forces, great as they are, constitute only "the extreme minimum" of what is necessary, in the opinion of the National Defense Society. This society, which has a membership of 78,000, and with allied organizations a further total of 200,000 members, went on record at its annual meeting this week in favor of the addition to the empire's force of two full army corps; a further extension of obligatory military service; the formation of cavalry divisons at present contemplated only for war times, and further drill periods for reservists.

General Keim, president of the society, opened the sessions with a warlike speech, in which he attacked the recent Berne peace conference, and said:

"Furthermore, the peace movement is dangerous for Germany. One hundred and forty Protestant pastors have made public a peace manifesto, and we find similar views among the teachers. We must work energetically against these manifestations. A people which ceases to seek its highest aim in manliness is lost. To be manly is to have the capacity to hate. Bismarck hated day and night. It is hate every man who threatens the life of the German people. Occurrences like those of Lunevfile and Nancy must fill the German folk with wrath, and this wrath must grip also our young men."

The affair of Krupp is likely to take a new turn as the result of charges made by Das Kleine Journal of Berlin. This newspaper originally charged that Dr. Liebknecht, the Socialist Reichstag deputy, obtained his material for the attack on Krupps from Leader Erzberger, of the Clericals, who, in turn, had it from August Thyssen, Germany's greatest iron magnate, and that Herr Thyssen was trying to break the existing monopoly in munitions of war enjoyed by the Krupps and Stumm-Dillinger. The newspaper asserted that Thyssen, since 1910, had been delivering samples of armor plate to the marine department, and had endeavored to convince the admiralty that the existing contracts with Krupp and Stumm-Dillinger, the latter a corporation in which French capital is largely involved, were dangerous to the State. It was asserted also that the marine department found the armor samples so poor that it was about to refuse them, when the Center party came to the rescue of Herr Thyssen, who is a prominent Catholic, by giving Dr. Leibknecht the material for his charges.

Herr Thyssen promptly denied the accusations of Das Kleine Journal, and that paper has now returned to the charge by publishing photographs of autograph letters of Thyssen to various persons, proving, according to the paper, that the charges were true. The paper declares in effect that the accusations against Krupp and Stumm-Dillinger are the outcome of a secret effort of the Center party to secure for one of its co-religionists a portion of the business now held by those firms. Das Kleine Journal is careful to state that it is in no way taking up cudgels for the accused firms, as to which itdesires a full investigation. It is mainly concerned that the Clericals' battle in behalf of Thyssen shall not succeed.

The free-handed days of the Berlin police censor of cinematograph films whose decisions against alleged objectionable pictures have caused wrath and disgust to the "movie" managers and amusement to the rest of Berlin, have come to an end. The Superior Administrative Court has overruled his decision prohibiting a film showing a penniless artist obtaining a free dinner for himself and family in a restaurant by the expedient of smuggling a sardine into the pudding at the end of the meal, exhibiting it to the horrified waiter and refusing to pay his check because the pudding was served in that condition. The censors forbade the production of the film on the ground that it might encourage other persons to defraud restaurant keepers.

A number of other vetoes by the police censor on the ground that the production of the film might incite to crime remains to be acted upon by the Superior Court. These include the story of a sickly tenement child taken to the country by kind farmers and cared for until she regains her health. The time comes to leave for the city. After bidding her benefactors goodbye, the child goes into a nearby garden and plucks some flowers as a remembrance. The censors forbade the film on the ground that it represented a crime—trespass and theft. Another film depicted an attack on a farmer in his home by robbers, who overpower him after a struggle, rob the house, manacle the farmer and bind him to the railroad tracks, where he is rescued at the last moment as a train is bearing down on him. The censors' shears eliminated that portion of the film showing the struggle, the robbery and the binding of the man on the tracks. As a result, the astonished public sees the robbers entering the home and suddenly sees the farmer, manacled, lying before the onrushing train.

In another film the victim smokes a drugged cigar and is robbed while in a stupor. As the public finally saw the production, the victim and the villain enter a house arm in arm—a flash and the film goes to show the former awakening from a doze on the floor.

It is against the law in Germany to appropriate articles found in the street; instead, they must be turned over to the Lost and Found Bureau of the police. For this reason a film which showed a lover picking up an article dropped by his adored one, wrapping it up and placing it next his heart, was censored; it represented the commission of a crime.

It is reasonably pointed out that were this same standard applied to the theatre, many of the world's greatest plays could no longer be presented on the German stage. "Faust" would have to go. Most of Shakespeare's dramas; the tragedies of Schiller, "Medea," "Orestes," and the other Greek plays which are now being produced at German playhouses, all would be barred on the ground that they present the commission of crimes or incitement thereto. Little will be left of German repertoires unless the Superior Court interferes, as it has done in the case of the "pudding-sardine" film.

Influence of Sports.

Lausanne, Switzerland, June 7.—Prof. W. M. Sloane, of Columbia University, New York, one of the American delegates to the Olympic Congress and a member of the International Olympic Committee, in talking about the results of the committee's recent work at Lausanne, has expressed himself as follows:

"One must distinguish between the meeting of the International Olympic Committee and the Congress for the discussion of the psychology of sport, which was summoned and organized by the I. O. C. The work of the committee was most important. Progress was made in arranging for the Berlin Olympiad of 1916, especially in summarizing for use the experiences of the last Olympiad (1912) at Stockholm. In some respects this was our great achievement in this meeting—that all the suggestions for improvement from the various National Olympic committees were prepared for incorporation in the arrangements for 1916.

"Of almost equal importance was

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GREET WORLDS BISGEST SHIP

New York Awaiting Arrival of Imperator Next Week—Thieving Pays Poorly in Gotham—Queer Strike on Chickens.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

New York, June 7.—Now that the date has been positively set for the arrival here of the giant steamship Imperator, on June 18th, all New York is busy polishing up opera glasses, telescopes and field glasses for the first peep at the mightiet vessel afloat.

Probably the greatest crowd that has packed the Battery and the river front since the return of Admiral Dewey's victorious fleet will greet the leviathan. The Imperator will leave Hamburg on her maiden trip on June 11, and doubtless there will be some among the crowd to welcome her on her arrival here who saw the Great Eastern on her arrival here more than half a century ago. The giant piers necessary for the docking of this monster vessel over which there has been so much discussion will be completed and will themselves come in for much attention, though it will be the Imperator that all New York is planning to turn out to see. This vessel, which is the largest in the world and which will carry the population of a good-sized town, is 919 feet, or nearly a fifth of a mile in length. Incidentally, she is the first ship to be built with a length of more than 900 feet. Could she be stood on end beside the Woolworth Building, the tallest skyscraper in the world, she would tower above it by 150 feet. Her beam of 98 feet is equal to the width of the city's widest boulevards. In addition she will tower as high above the water as a seven story building, her promenade deck being 80 feet above the sea, while the mast heads will be 250 feet above the keel. Her wireless equipment, which is the most powerful afloat, will keep the vessel constantly in touch with the shore. In addition to her 80 life boats, the Imperator will carry two power life boats, equipped with wireless. Among other novelties will be a swimming pool and, the replacing of the old fashioned berths by beds in most of the staterooms. The Imperator is really a double ship, and in addition to being the largest is the first vessel to be built with a complete double skin. Altogether her arrival here next week is likely to mark the most important epoch in the marine

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CLEARANCE SALE PRICES ON FINE COTTON GOODS.

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6 1-2c Calicoes 5c
Yard-Wide Bleached Domestic, worth 7 1-2c, for 5c
10c Sea Island, 36 inches wide 7c
15c Checked Muslin Dimities and White Lawns 9c
7 1-2c Figured Lawns 4c
18c Flaxon 12c
12 1-2c Brown Dress Linen, yard wide 9c
12 1-2c Percale 8c
10c Dress Ginghams 7 1-2c
One lot of Apron Ginghams 4 1 2c
12 1-2c Cascade Linen 9c
25c Blue, Pink and Tan Dress Linen 19c
40-inch Bordered Voiles, 65c values 39c
18c Foulards 12c
25c Striped Poplin, all colors 19c
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$8.00 to $10.00 Suits $6.89
$12.50 Suits $9.48
Boys' Knickerbocker Knee Pants, Full College, Peg Top Styles
65c Pants 44c
$1.25 Pants 89c
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GREET WORLD'S BIGGEST SHIP

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history of this port since Robert Fulton steamed up the Hudson.

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Some remarkable figures have just been compiled by the police department showing the wages of crime as a profession, if it may be called, in this city. Combining all classes of thieves, they show that property which is never recovered is stolen each day in the city to the exteht of $4,179, or more than $1,500,000 annually, while this total at first glance may seem large it becomes comparatively small when it is remembered that there are said to be in the neighborhood of 10,000 crooks and suspicious characters in the city capable of attempting any of these jobs. On this basis the average thief's daily wage from his depredations is only 42 cents, a very much smaller sum than he could earn at regular labor. Cases of petit larceny furnish the largest class of robberies, 11,134 complaints covering crimes of this sort having been received at headquarters during the 12 months covered by the report. Next in order comes grand larceny with 9,751 cases, closely followed by burglary with 8,483 cases. In spite of all that is heard of the city's pickpockets, only 338 complaints covering depredations of the light-fingered gentry, were received at headquarters. This is only half the number of plain hold-ups recorded, which amounted to 687 in all. Altogether, 30,394 cases of thievery of all sorts were reported, or about 83 a day. The total value of property lost was $3,313,216, of which the police recovered more than half, or $1,805,500 worth. Altogether, the business of thieving here, according to these figures, is one of very small returns.

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One of the strangest strikes on record—a chicken strike—has brought about a poultry famine here this week. It is not the fowls, however, that are striking, but the jobbers, who buy the chickens on their arrival here from the receivers who ship them to the city in carload lots. The jobbers have at last come out flat-footed and refuse to buy any more chickens until the dealers cease the practice of forcing them to pay for extra useless weight by stuffing the crops of the fowls with sand and gravel. As the retail dealers of the whole city rely on the jobbers for their supply, this means that chicken, as an article of food, is temporarily at least, absent from the city's bill of fare. It is estimated that the profits of the receivers from the extra weight they obain by sand and gravel feeding amount to $2,000,000 or more every year. It used to be customary to feed chickens that were received here from the West all the corn they could eat. But that method soon became obsolete. There wasn't any profit in it, the jobbers say. So the receivers adopted this scheme. The night before the chickens were to be unloaded the man in charge prepared for them a supper of thin meal and red pepper. That course merely whetted their appetites and made them thirsty. Then a mess of soaked bread and buttermilk mixed with sand and gravel was prepared. The chickens ate this ravenously. Often they gained from 14 to 16 ounces in weight. As there are about 4,000 hens to a carload, it was not unusual for the weight of the whole carload to be increased 3,500 pounds. In dollars and cents that meant over $500 extra profit to every car. Dealers throughout the city claim that all of heir profits have been eaten up by the shrinkage in weight of the chickens they bought from the receivers.

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With no more ceremony than the flying of two flags from its towers, Brooklyn bridge, the first to span the East River, is quietly celebrating its 30th birthday this month. This first of New York's mighty bridges took 13 years to complete. The work on it began in 1870 and it was not until May, 1883, that it was opened to traffic. The cost to date is placed at $22,400,000. At various times, notably some six or eight years ago, it has been said that the bridge was on its last legs and that it was only a matter of luck whether or not it would collapse into the East River in some rush hour, carrying 100,000 or so of human beings with it. In spite of all this the bridge is still in commision and in first class shape. Originally there were accommodation for only teams and foot passengers, with tracks for bridge cars. In 1897 arrangements were made for the Brooklyn elevated trains and trolley cars to use the bridge and trolley tracks were laid on the old roadways. There have been numerous minor accidents on the bridge in the 30 years. The single serious accident occured on May 30, 1883. There was a throng on the promenade leading from the Manhattan entrance up to the tower on the Manhattan side of the rise. Near the anchorage for cables was a flight of steps which was done away with years ago. A woman coming toward the Manhattan side stumbled and screamed as she reached the steps. The crowd pressed forward and in the panic that ensued 12 persons were trampled to death, seven were fatally injured and 28 others were hurt. The bridge has earned $23,224,000 in its 30 years, or about $800,000 more than its estimated cost to date.

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That the youth in this city has a better chance for long life than it did 25 years ago, while the mature person has a poorer one, are the apparently contradictory statements emanating from the latest vital statistics. A child under five years of age at present day may reasonably look forward to a life of 52 years, while 31 years ago a child of that age could expect to live only 41 years, according to an important "life table" of the Department of Health just issued after the most careful mathematical calculations covering all statistics between 1879 and the present time. While the normal expectancy of a child under five has been increased 11 years largely through the improvement in sanitary conditions, the fight against tuberculosis and the overcoming of many diseases, such as diphtheria, scarlet fever and meningitis, which usually affected children, the expectancy for continued life in persons more than 40 years old is diminishing. That is, the table prepared in 1882 showed that a man at 40 years of age could reasonably expect to live 22 1-2 years more, while the table now issued shows that a man at 40 may expext to live only 22 years and one month. From 40 years on there is a constantly increasing diminution of the expectancy of life as compared with the statistics of 31 years ago. The report also shows that the female portion of the population has a much better chance to live longer than the male portion. —LONGACRE.

FINALS AT ELON

Largest Class in Elon's History Receive Diplomas—Great Things

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Elon College, N. C., June 4.—The final day of commencement season was thronged with tremendous crowds. It was a gala day, 52 receiving degrees, diplomas and certificates, the largest cluster of such fortunates so far in Elon's 24 years of achievement. Promptly at 10:30 A. M. the baccalaureate procession filed into the auditorium and the formal graduation exercises began with prayer by Dr. W. W. Staley.

The audience was welcomed on behalf of the senior class by its salutatorian, Miss Nellie Sue Fleming, of High Point, N. C. Four essays and two orations then followed. The first was an oration by Mr. Ben Joe Earp, Milton, N. C., who spoke first and discussed football as a sport, the so-called typical American sport, using as his subject, "Chasing the Pig Skin." Mr. Earp was a football player during part of his college days and discoursed boldly against the brutality of this pastime.

Mr. A. L. Hook chose for his theme, "Hidden Powers," and spoke of the great forces as silent forces, whose powers could not be seen, but which could not be resisted.

Miss Pearl Tuck paid a glowing tribute to indomnitable willpower, thinking that all things must eventually yield to him who thinks he can.

Miss Virgie Beale spoke of character as the basis of success and the only guarantee of real attainment, picturing life as a building and character that principle in it which made it "The Living Structure."

Miss Viola Frazier congratulated those who have had experience in the school of hard knocks and saw a joy as well as a discipline in "The Ministry of Adversity."

Miss Pearl Fogleman made a hit with her militant utterances respecting the treatment of women at the hands of the gallant sex. Miss Virgie Beale, valedictorian of the class, next said farewell to the audience and the part of the class in the commencement exercises was then over. As soon as she was seated President Harper delivered the diplomas and certificates to the graduates, prefacing his presentation of them with words of admonition.

The art exhibit was given this time in the young ladies' gymnasium on the second floor of the annex of the West Dormitory and occurred at 3 P. M. today. Following it came the reunions of the Psiphelian, Philalogian and Clio Literary societies in their respective halls. These reunions were characterized by the usual wit and humor and good fellow feeling.

The college band, besides furnishing music for the graduating exercises this morning, also gave a concert on the campus at 6:30 o'clock, occupying the traditional place for this function, the college band stand.

Mrs. J. K. Ruebush, Dayton, Va., of the class of 1901, at 8 o'clock this evening charmed her audience in her discussion from the woman's standpoint of Universal Democracy. Mrs. Ruebush said nothing about woman suffrage in her address and it could not be inferred whether she believes in it or not. She discussed the development of democracy in every department of life and that with its spread had come happiness and fullness of life for the masses as well as for the classes.

The Alumni banquet occurred in the college dining hall immediately following Mrs. Ruebush's address.

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..By the Wayside..

The Elks during the week have been hosts to a lot of people, and have done their best to make the stranger within the gates feel at home. One of the most sincere tributes paid to their hospitality was from a man who sat on one end of a settee in the Orton Hotel, who said to a man on the other end of the settee: "Bill, I have to hand it to these people for one thing." The other, worn and weary, raised up and asked what it was. "They shore do know how to make good ice water." A momentary gleam flashed through the other's tired eyes. "They shore do," he said, "I killed 'er this morning!"

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"This," an Elk was explaining to one of the King's Daughters, at the luncheon the Elks gave to the convention of Daughters the other day, speaking in the dining room, "this is especially for the ladies. We do not have anything to do with it. We men stay back yonder," pointing to a doorway over which in large letters is the legend, "Indian Territory." "How nice," said the lady, with charming naviete. "The next time we come I want you to take me back there, too." "We will move it out here," said the Elk gallantly.

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The dining room in the Elks' Home has only two windows. Exactly like the two are six others built into the walls and backed with mirrors. The visitor for the first time doesn't notice this, unless he sees himself in the deceptive windows. Without close examination he thinks he is looking into another apartment full of people at the table. After the luncheon given to the Daughters, a lady remarked to several companions, "This room has only two windows." They looked at her in horror. After all, the pink lemonade WAS doctored. They knew it all the time. They told themselves so. It was only after reiteration and explanation that they were undeceived as to the windows—and the rest.

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Another lady, older and wiser, than this one, and no doubt having heard tales about the Elks, eyed her glass of pink lemonade askance, as if she were saying to herself, "I hae me doubts." Seeing others drinking it, she ventured a tiny sip, paused and looked toward the ceiling. Her air was judicial. The court needed more light, and she took a second sip, and tasted it thoroughly. Then she drank it all with evidence of entire satisfaction. It was so weak that the claret couldn't be tasted.

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A citizen of the town who doesn't do things like ordinary people and who takes very seriously those things over which other people howl with fiendish delight and glee, was telling a friend about the bankers of the city, whom he denounced as "dummed tightwadds" He said, "I went to Mr. So and So of the Umpty Bank, and after telling him what a blessing he was to the community, lending money for the upbuilding of industry and expansion of business, asked him for a measly little loan of $200. and what'd ye think he said? Said, he would be pleased to let me have it if I went out and got an endorement! Beat anything I ever heard of. Tightwads, that's what I call 'em, sticking around here and soaking up the financial cream of this city and getting rich off other people, and doing a ticky piece of business like that." His friend was astounded—at the man's nerve. "Why, of course, he wanted 'endorsement," he said. "That's all right." (Dramatic pause). "All right?" queried the first. "But where in the hell and I to get the endorsement?" (Loud laughter.)

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Drowning, it has always been understood, is a very pleasant thing in that you experience no pain and on the contrary, enjoy a sensation that is like unto nothing else you have ever felt. One man, discussing it, says that once he made two of the usual three trips to the bottom, and since that has been given ther on one occasion, and the sensations, he finds, are similar. Another gentleman of the city, who came within an ace of drowning many years ago in the Cape Fear, attests that it is a most delightful feeling, ineffable, he says. And practically every one who has come close to the thin dividing line between life and death in the water, agrees that while you are passing through the stages of drowning, all your past rises before you, complete, in the twinkling of an eye, and marches before you, each mean thing, each sin, each act that was wrong, standing out clearly defined. 'Tis a marvelous thing. Some men, it would seem, would have to be drowning a mighty long time for all of their record to unroll and stand revealed in each particular, but no doubt the longest of records will flash forth. How that feature of drowning could be present and one still feel an ineffable sensation is difficult of understanding; but those who have been there testify to the fact that it is a most delicious state of being while it lasts.

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A middle-aged man, looking back on the times when he was a youngster, and comparing church conditions then with the present, comes to the conclusion that the religious standard has been lowered. "When I was a boy," he says, "preachers and churches were few and far between. The preacher would travel wide territory, showing up along about Friday before he was to preach on Sunday. People would hitch up and taking the whole family in the wagon, drive miles and miles, and make a day of it, sitting patiently for hours at a stretch and listening to a sermon of fervid heat, liberally loaded with hell fire. In those days a man had to have a sterling sort of religion to go through with this experience, and he had to be sincere or everybody would know it. And then, if they found it out, a man had to straighten up or get out. There was no room for a hypocrite. Today if a man puts up a front of respectability, pays liberally, performs certain church duties, he can be so crooked he could hide behind a cork screw. You can look all around you and see men in the church who are far from what they ought to be, but whose presence is tolerated in the church because the standards are not as strict as they were forty years ago."

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One lady was proposing to another that they take a day off and go to the beach and enjoy themselves, when the other demurred. "I don't know if it will suit my husband," she said. "Husband, nothing!" exclaimed the first. "Quit worrying about the men and think of yourself. I used to worry about my old man's convenience and comfort until I found out it was all foolishness, and now I let him do the worrying. Come on, let's go!" And go they did. No doubt many a good wife is cultivating gray hairs in the same way.

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Trust a woman to see clear through another woman. A man was saying: "I like the looks of that young lady. She has such a quiet, serene and ladylike appearance. She doesn't look as if she used her tongue to excess. I bet she doesn't gossip. Yes, I like her." His wife sniffed a very sniffy sniff, indeed, and said: "The lawsy-massy!' she is the worst gossip in town. Why, she carries more news than a newspaper. If there is any scandal going, she is on to it, and she doesn't fail to send it on the way." The man was astounded. But he dast to appear incredulous.

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A number of men were talking about selling whiskey and one of them declared that while he never would attempt to sell any more in Wilmington, that is, as long as it was illegal to do so, he did intend to go elsewhere and set up a business. Another man who formerly had a saloon here, spoke up and said that he wouldn't sell any more of the stuff, anywhere, for anything. "I made $75,000 selling liquor here, and where is it now?" he demanded. "You must learn how to take care of it," said the first. "It won't stick," said the other; and a man who has gray hairs in his head joined in the conversation and, stating that he had been living a good many years, declared that he had never seen any man or his family prosper on money made from the sale of whiskey. And it is generally true that wealth accumulated from the whiskey business "takes wings," as the saying is.

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A negro drayman, seeking the correct place of delivery for a trunk he had on his cart, presented a slip at a house to ask if the number corresponded with that of the house. It happened to correspond, but no trunk was expected there and the negro was so informed. "Yas'm," he said, bowing and scraping, "dey's a mistake Summers. I knowed hit wuz de wrong place soon ez I seed you, ma'm. Kase dis here trunk, hit belong to one ov dese here furriners, and I knowed he warn't stayin' here, ma'm, kase he ain't none ov our folks." Your American negro will class himself with the white American every pop, when it comes to differentiating the natives from the foreigners. He does it instinctively, not because he is putting himself on a level with the native white. "Our folks," on such occasions, is a sweet morsel to the colored brother.

THE CITY'S FINANCES.

Mr. W. R. K. Slocumb Gives His Views of Recent Loan.

Editor The Morning Star:

Dear Sir:—Being a taxpayer in the city of Wilmington and very much interested in the welfare and progress of the city, I beg sufficient space of you to make a suggestion that, to my mind, will in a way cure the loss the taxpayers sustain, in that it seems to have become a habit for the city to borrow money at this time of the year to "tide over" until tax collecting time.

The item of news in The Star of June 3rd, in which it was stated that Councilman Chadwick had negotiated a loan in Richmond of Two Hundred Thousand dollars for the city, is certainly a compliment to the credit of the city and also to Counciman Chadwick, in that it demonstrates the Councilman's ability to finance the affairs of the city, but observing the transaction from the standpoint of profit and loss, it appears that in the end, and when pay-day comes, the taxpayers are going to have to stand a net loss of an amount that may reach $6,000 or more. On this $200,000 loan it appears that the city is to pay 6 per centum to November 1st, which is $1,000 interest per month, then deducting the monthly payments thereafter until February 1st, the interest amount will reach $6,500. There will, of course, be some offset against this total amount of interest, as it appears the city is to receive 3 per centum on the daily balance, but this is now an unknown quantity and the amount of it will depend only on how rapidly the city withdraws the funds. In the final settlement of this transaction, Wilmington must not only return this $200,000 to Richmond, but must send it back with interest, and finally, the amount of interest paid will be the amount of loss to the taxpayers.

Why not let the taxpayers loan this money to the city? and thereby save the money interes, in, to and for the city? Inasmuch as the taxpayers are really the ones to whom the money is loaned, can we not borrow the money from ourselves and pay the interest to ourselves, and quit making these temporary loans to tide over till tax collecting time?

I suggest as a cure for this, that the city so bring it to be, that city taxes "MAY" be paid for the current year at any time from April 1st, the city to allow the taxpayer 1 per cent. per month on anticipated payment of taxes—to exemplify—taxes paid in the month of April to be credited with 6 per centum; if paid in May, credit with 5 per cent.; if paid in June, credit with 4 per cent., etc., down to 1 per cent. for payment in September. If a taxpayer does not wish to pay all his taxes for the city during the first interest month, allow him to pay in multiples of 1-4, 1-2, or 3-4, and allow him the rate of interest on the amount he pays for the month in which the payments are made. Some one may say this can not be done because taxes are not listed until the month of May, but it can be done, for the reason that every man who owns property knows that taxes are just as certain as death, and while he may not know the exact amount of his taxes in the months of April or May, yet, he will have a fair idea of what the amount will be and if he can get 6 per cent. interest on his money for paying a debt which he knows he must pay, I believe there are many taxpayers in Wilmington who will hand over to the city tax collector $50, or $100 and $1,000 as the case may be, at his earliest opportunity. It is true this plan would require a little more bookkeeping at the office of the tax collector, but it would be cheaper to the taxpayers to put another clerk in the collector's office if the necessity for an extra man arose, rather than to have to pay interest to other, rather than to ourselves, or loans to carry the city obligations to tax payment time. This same rebate should also be made to apply to payment of poll tax and I would like to see sufficient number of the citizens of Wilmington become interested in this method of collecting taxes to cause it to be put into effect and by this method each taxpayer in the city will have the opportunity to turn his debt to profit and his taxable liability will produce for himself and for the benefit of the city a cash asset, which seems to me to be true and practicable economy.

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Norfolk, Va., June 4.

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No. 55, * 3:15 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All **Florida Points**, Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.**	No. 54, * 1:40 P.M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A.M.
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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
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11:00 P.M.	and every half hour thereafter until
12:00 P.M.	11:45 P.M.
6:15 P.M.	

Express Trains stop only at Wrightsville and at Stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
9:30 A.M.	12:15 P.M.
3:30 P.M.	6:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	8:15 P.M.

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8:30 A.M.	7:45 A.M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A.M.
10:00 P.M.	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P.M.	11:45 P.M.
12:00 P.M.	

Express Trains stop only at Wrightsville and at Stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT.

11:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.

Freight Depot open from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

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NEW SOUTHERN ENTERPRISES

Pennsylvania to Make Big Terminal Improvements in Baltimore--Other Industrial News of Interest in Dixie.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Baltimore, June 5—Among the many Southern industrial and other developmental enterprises reported in this week's issue of the Manufacturers' Record are the folowing:

Pennsylvania Railroad Co., submitted proposition to Mayor and city officials of Baltimore, for improvement of Northern Central Railway terminals involving expenditure of about $1,000,000, plans embrace additional main tracks, four-track connection between union station and Calvert street terminals, abandonment of Calvert passenger service or establishment of passenger station on second floor of terminal at Bath street, enlargement of freight sheds, construction of bridge 50 feet wide on south side of Madison street from Calvert to Constitution street; also contemplates boring additional tunnels alongside present Union and Potomac tunnels, to accommodate through north and South freight traffic, or bore tunnel under Patapsco river to make possible freight cut-off south and east of city.

Norfolk & Western Railway Co., is reported as having plans prepared to construct steam power electric plant at Bluestone Junction, W. Va., to develop 32,000 horsepower; machinery to include three steam turbine engines and generators, each with capacity of 8,000 kilowatts, to distribute electricity for operating Elkhorn branch of railway.

Virginia Railway & Power Co., Norfolk, Va., will build coal gas plant of 1,000,000 cubic feet daily capacity, installing purifiers and other accessories; cost about $300,000; contemplates other improvements within next three or four years to cost about $200,000.

Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf Railway, will build shops at Muskogee, Okla., improvements will include machine shop, blacksmith, boiler and locomotive shops, repair sheds, carpenter shop, storeroom, etc.; all buildings to be of brick and steel construction; estimated cost $200,000.

Guadaloupe Waterpower Co., Seguin, Texas, will soon complete engineering work for developing waterpower on Quadaloupe river and constructing 250 miles interurban system; contemplates construction of five or six reinforced concrete dams; will organize Central Texas Traction Co., to build railway.

Kosmos Portland Cement Co., Louisville, Ky., will increase capacity of plant at Kosmosdale, Ky., from 1,200 to 3,000 barrels daily; work will include installation of steam turbines, new boiler house to be equipped with stokers; kilns, stockhouse, etc.; will also open new quarry at King's Landing, Ky.

Charles F. Hagan, Bristol, Va., will divide Hagan property comprising 30,000 acres of coal land in Scott county into suitable leases for immediate development; Mr. Hagan controls waterpower which will be developed to transmit electricity for mining more than 2,000,000 tons of coal annually.

Columbia Vitrified Clay Products Co., Columbia, S. C., is being organized with capital stock of $100,000 to establish plant for manufacturing paving and building brick, wire conduits, and possibly vitrified sewer brick and hollow tile for fireproofing buildings; will develop clay deposits.

Jackson Brothers Lumber Co., Tallapoosa, Ga., will build planing mill, lumber finishing plant and reinforced concrete dry kilns; daily capacity 25,000 feet finished lumber; Jackson & Pounds will build saw mill near Heflin, Ala., to develop timber land owned by Jackson Brothers.

Mineral Development Co., Philadelphia, is reported as preparing to begin development of 50,000 acres of coal land in Letcher and other counties of Kentucky; reported as to invest several million dollars to open mines, install machinery, build houses, etc.

Floyd and John Days, Winchester, Ky., transferred railroad coal and timber land holdings near Winchester, to New York capitalists, involving about $1,000,000; Messrs. Days retain interest and will manage development.

J. B. McLendon and associates, Miami, Fla., purchased river frontage of 209 feet and will build guano and ice plants each to cost $100,000, also dredge channel along west line of property increasing frontage to 553 feet.

U. S. Bratton, of Arkansas Public Service Co., Little Rock, Ark., is negotiating for water front power site on Little Red river near Heber Springs, Ark.; plans to construct hydro-electric plant to develop 3,000 horsepower.

C. A. O'Neal, of Andalusia, Ala., will build mill in Andalusia county, Ala., with probable daily capacity of 100,000 feet of lumber; will develop 23,000 acres of timberland recently purchased.

Texas Power & Light Co., Dallas, Texas, contemplates building steam plant on Red river four miles north of Denison, Texas, within next two years; ultimate capacity 15,000 kilowatts.

Steel Cities Chemical Co., Birmingham, Ala., is considering expenditure of $100,000 to enlarge sulphuric acid plant at Fairfield, Ala., erected at cost of $200,000.

Vale Brick Co., George C. Stephens, president, Kansas City, Mo., will build brick plant at Vale, Mo., to have daily capacity of 75,000 bricks.

Blue Ridge Power Co., Memphis, Tenn., was incorporated with initial capital stock of $25,000 by James G. Johnson and associates who are reported as representing eastern capitalists.

Exmore Ice & Storage Co., Exmore, Va., was incorporated with capital stock of $50,000 to establish ice and cold storage plant.

Athens Glass Co., Morgantown, W. Va., was incorporated with capital of $100,000 to manufacture glass.

Farmers' Cotton Oil Co., Celina, Texas, organized with B. F. Smith, president; is capitalized at $30,000 and will establish and operate cold process cotton seed oil mill.

General Roofing Mfg. Co., Richmond, Va., was incorporated with capital stock of $50,000 to manufacture roofing.

Jenkins Lumber Co., Birmingham, Ala., was incorporated with capital stock of $50,000.

J. E. Moss Iron Works, Wheeling, W. Va., was incorporated with capital stock of $100,000.

Peerless Clothespin Co., Weatherford, Texas., was incorporated with capital stock of $25,000 to manufacture wire clothespins; daily capacity 500 gross.

W. A. Rockwell and B. F. Hamilton, Harriman, Tenn., will build band saw mill of 30,000 feet daily capacity.

Carolina Ice & Electric Co., Raleigh, N. C., awarded contract to construct hydro-electric plant at Milburnie, N. C., to develop 200 horsepower; cost $12,000.

Independent Butchers' Abattoir, Augusta, Ga., was incorporated with capital stock of $20,000 and plans to build abattoir.

A. J. Sheahan Granite Co., Graniteville, Mo., was incorporated with capital stock of $20,000.

An Appreciation.

We wish to thank our congressmen for a nifty package of garden seeds sent from Washington for our special use. It is nice to be thus remembered by one who is far away in a strange land, and it beats a picture postcard forty ways. There is a practical value to a package of congressional garden seeds which appeals. We had them cooked up for breakfast this morning, and, while they were fair, it must be remembered, that congress has gone Democratic recently, and the flavor of the garden seeds is bound to be somewhat more biting and pessimistic than formerly, but we thank the thoughtful congressman just the same. We have eaten his garden seeds several years, and they are all right.

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With Dr. Howard's specific at hand, you can eat what you want and have no fear of ill consequences. It strengthens the stomach, gives perfect digestion, regulates the bowels, creates an appetite and makes life worth the living.

If you cannot call at the J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., store today, send them 25 cents by mail and they will send you a package promptly, charges paid.

J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., has been able to secure only a limited supply of the specific, so great is the demand, and you should not delay taking advantage of this liberal offer they are making this week.

(advertisement.)

TIMBER WASTE BIG PROBLEM

Big Problem of Country, Says Prof. Shattuck, of Idaho University, Who Recently Visited Plant Here

The following from one of the Boise, Idaho, papers, carrying an interview with Prof. C. H. Shattuck, in charge of the Department of Forestry in Idaho University, is of more than passing interest from the fact that some weeks ago he spent several days in Wilmington and since his return home has shipped to the National Wood Products Co., of this city, several samples of resinous woods, of which he says there are 100,000 acres in the immediate vicinity of Moscow, Idaho.

Mr. Shattuck is very enthusiastic over the prospects of regaining valuable products from the waste woods of his State and the National Wood Distilling Co., has presented the University of Idaho, with one of its model plants with which to carry on experiments at the University. The Boise paper says:

"Prof. C. H. Shattuck, in charge of the Department of Forestry of the University of Idaho, was in the city Wednesday on his way home from an extensive inspection trip through the East during which he gathered important information to be utilized at the University.

"Prof. Shattuck left for the East May 2nd, taking with him a quantity of Idaho wood of different kinds for the government plants in the East. At the same time a carload of timber was sent East from Oregon at the instance of the Federal government for the purpose of making tests.

"After visiting Madison, Wis., Chicago and Washington, D. C., and inspecting plants and gathering all the information possible, Prof. Shattuck spent most of his time in the plant at Wilmington, N. C., which he considers the best plant in the United States for the utilizing of timber biproducts. This plant has just been leased by the Federal government and there extensive experiments are being made.

Plant for Moscow

"'It is proposed,' said Professor Shattuck in telling of his trip; 'to duplicate this Wilmington plant at Moscow in connection with the University, but on a smaller scale. I was given every assurance by the Federal officials and others that they were ready to do all in their power to bring this about. It is business and not charity that prompts the offer. Those who install such plants are anxious to sell the machinery and open up additional business. The government is anxious to utilize its natural resources to the best possible advantage.

"'In our department of forestry we have four distinct branches of work—teaching, tree planting, utilizing the by-products, and treating the different woods to make them more serviceable.

Planting of Trees.

"'In the department of tree planting we have set out 30,000 young trees in the past year. We sell these to all who desire to plant them at two cents apiece. For Arbor Day we sold them for one cent apiece. We have made extensive experiments and tests to demonstrate the best trees to plant in the different sections of the State, and have issued an instructive bulletin on this subject.

"'We have now ready for planting 7,000,000 young trees of 150 different varieties and already have orders aggregating 30,000 for next year.

Great Field for By-Products.

"'In the matter of utilizing the by-products we feel that there is a wonderful field. There is a tremendous waste now in north Idaho. At Wilmington, N. C., the government is making the most extensive experiments ever made in this country and Idaho should profit tremendously from these experiments. Part of the experiments made while I was there

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THE WEEK'S NEWS IN BRIEF

Important Happenings, Day by Day, Compiled and Republished for the Benefit of the Busy Man and the Week-End Reader—New York Markets for Each Day of the Six.

SUNDAY.

President Wilson has declared himself in favor of currency legislation at the present session of Congress.

The Democratic leaders of the Senate in charge of the tariff legislation predict that the Senate will vote on the bill by August 1st.

Colonel Roosevelt was awarded nominal damages in the sum of six cents by the jury yesterday in his libel suit against George A. Newett, a Michigan editor.

Japan's rejoinder to Secretary Bryan's reply to the Japanese protest against the California alien land legislation will be submitted to the State Department this week.

The Senate will make a searching investigation as the result of President Wilson's declaration that an "insidious lobby" is operating in an effort to sway tariff legislation at Washington.

A report published yesterday by Postmaster General Burleson charges that the postal service was not self-sustaining during the administration of former Postmaster General Hitchcock, as was often asserted by the latter.

Reports carried recently by certain of the Northern newspapers to the effect that the naval stores belt of the South is in a state of destitution were condemned yesterday by the Savannah Board of Trade as being wholly unfounded.

New York markets: Flour quiet. Wheat firm. Corn firm. Rosin quiet. Turpentine easy; machine barrels 40 cents.

TUESDAY.

Alfred Austin, British poet laureate, died yesterday at the age of 77.

Five hundred school girls of Cleveland, Ohio, have begun the study of infant hygiene.

Japan has accepted in principle the proposed plan advanced by the United States for universal peace.

House Democrats in caucus yesterday restricted the legislative programme of the extra session to tariff, currency, emergency appropriations and election cases.

If the recommendation of the Senate Finance sub-committee is accepted meats and flour will not go on the free list in the Democratic tariff law.

The lobby investigating committee of the Senate began open hearings yesterday. The Finance sub-committees continued work on the tariff schedules.

Senator Ransdell of Louisiana, in a speech before the Senate yesterday attacked the free sugar schedule of the tariff bill, and declared that "the pledge of the Baltimore platform not to destroy legitimate industry" was being violated.

New York markets: Money on call firmer, 2 1-2 to 3 per cent, ruling rate 3, closing bid 2 3-4, offered at 2 7-8. Time loans steady 60 days 3 3-4 to 4 per cent, 90 days 4, 6 months 4 3-4. Flour steady. Wheat weak. Turpentine steady. Rosin quiet. Spot cotton quiet unchanged; middling uplands 11.80. No sales.

WEDNESDAY.

The Senate Committee in charge of the agricultural schedule, reversed its former action yesterday by voting to place livestock, wheat and oats on the free list.

Former Postmaster General Hitchcock replied in a statement issued yesterday to the charges against his administration made by Postmaster General Burleson.

Yesterday marked the one hundred and fifth anniversary of the birth of Jefferson Davis, President of the Southern Confederacy. The day was fittingly commemorated in many Southern cities.

Doubts are being expressed by the Wilson administration as to whether the dismemberment decrees of the United States courts for the dissolution of the Oil and Tobacco "Trusts" are being carried out.

Senator Kenyon, of Iowa, declared from the witness stand before the Senate Investigating committee yesterday, that President Wilson's attitude in regard to the existence of an "insidious lobby" in Washington was entirely justified.

A report submitted to the National Committee of the Socialist party yesterday by investigators exonerates Governor Hatfield, of West Virginia, from charges preferred against him in connection with the strike in the coal mining sections of that State.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-2 at 3 per cent; ruling rate 3; closing bid 2 1-2; offered at 2 3-4. Time loans stronger 60 days 3 3-4 at 4 per cent; 90 days 4; 6 months 4 3-4. Flour steady. Wheat easy. Rosin and turpentine easy. Cotton futures barely steady. Spot cotton quiet, 10 points lower; middling uplands 11.70; sales none.

THURSDAY

Jack Johnson, negro heavyweight champion, was sentenced yesterday for violation of the Mann "white slave" act.

The income section of the Underwood tariff bill will be amended to remedy a defect before the Senate acts on the measure.

Members of the Senate sub-committee appointed to probe the West Virginia coal strike situation have completed their plans for the trip to Charleston.

The Senate Lobby Investigating committee is probing every phase of the organized fight which has been carried on between the free sugar and anti-free sugar forces.

Japan's rejoinder to the United States' reply to her protest against the California anti-alien land law was delivered yesterday by Ambassador Chinda to Secretary Bryan.

In the race for the derby yesterday on the English turf a militant suffragette was terribly injured in attempting to stop King George's horse, which was taking part in the event.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-2 to 2 7-8 per cent.; ruling rate 2 3-4; closing bid 2 1-2; offered at 2 3-4. Flour quiet. Wheat weak. Corn steady. Rosin quiet. Turpentine easy. Spot cotton quiet, unchanged; middling uplands 11.70; middling gulf 1195; sales 252.

FRIDAY.

Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, introduced an anti-trust amendment to the Underwood tariff bill yesterday.

West Virginia coal mine strike investigating committee of the Senate continues its plans for hearings at Charleston.

President Wilson expresses the view that Japan's latest note opens the way for "very interesting and friendly negotiations.

Neither the Standard Oil Co., nor the tobacco trust have been actually dissolved, according to the views of Attorney McReynolds.

The House Banking and Currency committee which will originate the currency reform bill, began its official existence yesterday.

A belated dispatch from Tampico, Mexico, tells of the many killings and depredations at the hands of marauders of the Mexican factions. Americans in the district are being harassed.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-2 to 2 3-4 per cent.; ruling rate 2 3-4; last bid 2 1-2; offered at 2 3-4. Flour quiet, unchanged. Wheat and corn firm. Rosin quiet. Turpentine easy; Cotton, spot quiet, 20 points up; middling uplands 11.90; sales none.

SATURDAY

Militant suffragettes interrupted the deliberations of the Peace Conference at Saint James' Palace yesterday.

The paper schedule of the Underwood bill was discussed for several hours yesterday by the Senate Finance sub-committee.

In executive session last night the Senate failed to ratify renewals of arbitration agreements with Great Britain, Italy and Spain, which recently expired.

A dinner was given at Pittsburg last night in honor of George W. Guthrie, the new American Ambassador to Japan. Secretary Bryan and Baron Chinda were the speakers of the evening.

Senator Townsend, Republican, told the Lobby Investigating committee of the Senate yesterday that he believed the nearest approach to undue influence was that "exerted by the President, and by the use and powers of the party secret caucus."

New York markets: Money on call 2 3-8 to 2 1-2; ruling rate 2 1-2; last bid 2 3-8; offered at 2 1-2. Rosin quiet. Turpentine easy; machine barrels 39. Flour firm. Wheat firm. Corn, spot steady. Spot cotton quiet, 20 up; middling uplands 12.10; middling gulf 12.35; sales none.

GOSSIP OF FOREIGN CAPITALS

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the completion of our arrangements for the Congress to be held in Paris next year, for the preparation of a type Olympiad. That Congress will be attended by representatives from all the National Olympic committees, and in commemoration of 20 years' work will definitely settle questions of events, judges, qualifications, entries, etc. The I. O. C. is in no sense a representative body. It is self-perpetuating and is the historical carrier of the Olympic idea. Its business is that of clearing the way for the successive Olympiads and securing Nations to act in turn as hosts. It meets once every year. The congresses organized by the committee meet at irregular intervals and have no continuity, adjourning sine die. They give invaluable advice and disseminate knowledge and have hitherto had no representative character. That of 1914 in Paris differs from all its predecessors in that respect. It will be a representative, authoritative, international body, selected to settle vital questions, as those who participate as athletes in the Olympiads desire them to be settled. Its work done, it will adjourn not to meet again until summoned by the I. O. C."

Prof. Guglielmo Ferrero, of Turin University, the well known historian, in an address before the Congress on sport from the point of view of an outsider, gave an interesting analysis of the real significance of sport under modern conditions of living. He said that the tendency for each set of men, whether men of science, artists, architects, or commercial men, was to overrate the importance of their own line of work in relation to other work.

"Sport may be considered as a necessary limitation imposed on the excesses of an intellectual, sedentary state of civilization," declared Prof. Ferrero, "which severely tries the nervous system. Never has man lived in such a state of permanent and increasing excitement. If the ancients could come to life again, their first impression, we may be sure, would be that men had become mad. This extreme mental tension throughout the world needs something to counterbalance it. Might it not increase indefinitely until it entailed bankruptcy of the entire nervous system? How long this nervous over-excitement can go on is one of the most serious problems of our times.

"Sport may, if carried on in accordance with certain principles, become one of the limits set to over-excitement in one's work. If it be practiced as a wholesome diversion, it will be a beneficent and recuperative force, acting upon the nerves above all. This is the ideal of sport, the only conception of it which is in no danger of running to extremes. An equalizing force, something to counterbalance the intellectual excesses of contemporary civilization, sedentary, nervous, and kept in a continual turmoil—this is the best definition of sport. It is as old as the world, but still it is the best definition. Sport is a force whose function it is to preserve the balance between the various elements of social life, a force of equilibrium.

"But if this conception of sport is to make way, we must be prepared for many disappointments. Man is naturally inclined to excess and never has a tendency to excess been greater than at present. The modern world urgently needs moderation, equilibrium and harmony if it is not to perish by the very excess of its energy. We are richer, more learned, and more powerful than our forefathers, but we have not become demi-gods because we have discovered America and invented railways. We are still mere men. All the weaknesses which mortalists of the past have discovered in us still exist.

"Moreover, we have to pay nature with her way of equalizing matters a heavy price for the advantages we are reaping from the accumulated labors of past generations, a price which takes the form of nervous diseases, madness, increasing frequency of suicide and increasing sterility. The modern world suffers from excesses to which it gives way without admitting that it does so. Those who attempt to lead us back to a saner ideal of life render a service, the need for which is shown more than by anything else by the fury with which this ideal is apparently rejected."

HENRY M. FLAGLER

Appreciation of His Work of Development in Florida

Charity and Children: "Another captain of industry has paid nature's debt, and left his millions to join the democracy of the dead. Flagler was probably not the equal of Morgan in point of moral worth, though he was said to be a religious man, and given to deeds of charity. He was a more successful money-maker than Morgan and no doubt loved it more, but he was not so masterful a man and could not marshall the commercial forces like Morgan. Furthermore, his moral perceptions were not so high and strong. He did a monumental work for Florida. The East Const under his hand, was made to blossom as the rose. His enterprise was daring and his faith in the achievement that crowned his career was sublime. The great railroad enterprise from Miami to Key West was laughed at and sneeringly called 'Flagler's Folly' by menof lesser strength, but with his eyes fixed steadily on the goal this man waged his battle with the waves and lived to see the last spike driven and his trains rolling over the sea. His patience and persistence and unconquerable determination in the mighty task he undertook mark him as no ordinary man. If he had set his hand to some great moral movement he could have accomplished a great deal more for mankind. But it is to his credit that instead of hoarding his millions he used them for the benefit of his adopted State."

AFRAID OF BOLL WEEVIL.

Mississippi Negroes Refuse to Kill Them for Fear of Evil.

A dispatch from Waynesboro, Miss., says that the cotton growers are sadly handicapped in their fight on the boll weevil because of the superstitution of the negro field hands, who refuse to kill the pest when they find it on the cotton stalks. Nothing can induce them to do so. An old negro died the other day and in his last moments said that the only thing between him and his God was that he had killed too many boll weevils. That has had its effect on the superstitious darkeys and it is believed that some "medicine man" among them has told them that it would not be good for them to war on the Mexican pest.

Pride of the Tenements.

The social worker's fifth floor protege, on the occasion of the former's third visit, said:

"When you come again won't you please carry a box of paints or an easel or something like that to make folks think you are an artist?"

"Why?" the visitor exclaimed.

"Because," said the woman, "I have told all these other women in the building, who have been rubbering and inquiring about you, that you come here to give my little girl painting lessons, and I want you to help back me up in it."

TIMBER WASTE BIG PROBLEM

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were on woods taken east from Oregon and Idaho. The government experts were anxious to ascertain whether the same results could be obtained from the Western woods as from Eastern. They were satisfied that this could be done, and I returned home satisfied that we would have little trouble in securing the establishment of a plant at Moscow patterned after the one at Wilmington."

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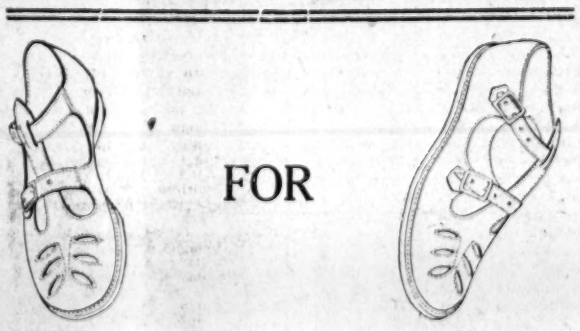

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The Carolinas

Watkin Brothers, makers of brooms at China Grove, Rowan county, are to build a new and bigger plant.

It is reported that 900 men are at work on the Virginia-Carolina Railroad now building in the mountains of Ashe and adjoining countries.

The Raleigh, Charlotte & Southern Railroad has its tracks built between Colon and Fuquay Springs. The dispatcher's office will be moved to Raleigh and the shops at Biscoe will probably be moved to Raleigh or to Star.

The new curfew law at Canton, Haywood county, is reported as popular with parents. No young people have been run in for being on the streets after 9 o'clock. It is quite a relief to the parents to be freed of the trouble of trying to make their children stay in nights.

The Carthage News complains that the limbs of trees on the principal streets of Moore county's capital are so low that tall persons have difficulty in navigating without hooking their chins or meeting a fate like Absalom's whereupon the Charlotte Observer suggests that the tall citizens be trimmed.

Rutherford county is spending $250,000 on her roads, and the route up the Broad river valley, leading through the famous Chimney Rock country to Hickory Nut Gap, is one of the roads that will be improved and it will open up one of the most beautiful mountain countries in the world.

Hail as big as hen eggs fell in Avery county recently, stripping trees of their foliage and doing other damage. Rain fell in torrents for two hours, turning roads into raging streams. Creeks and branches were far out of bank and one man gathered over 200 rainbow trout from 6 to 22 inches long that had been carried out of the streams. Hail drifted in cuts on the roads four and five feet deep.

It is reported that the Coggin gold mine in Montgomery county has been sold by Mrs. Carrie Fisher to a wealthy North Carolinian, and that State Geologist Pratt has made an examination of it and found between $3,000 and $4,000 in high-grade ore in sight. It is said the vein is as rich as that in the nearby Iola mine and much broader, and the Iola mine has turned out a lot of the yellow metal. The property is to be developed on a large scale.

Col. James MacQueen, of Queensdale.

During the seventeenth century an emigrant vessel
Set sail from "Auld" Scotland, for this land of the free.
For three weary months she was tossed on the billows
With naught to propel her save the wind on the lee.
On board of this ship were the sturdy Highlanders
From bank and from brae, from mountain and glen.
There were wives, there were mothers, brave youths and fair maidens;
There were babes on the bosom and gray-bearded men.
From the land of the tartan, the bagpipe and heather
Of Robert the Bruce, and of Wallace the bold,
Of Burns and of Scott, of Knox the Reformer,
Came hither those emigrant fathers of old.
But amid the ship's company there was one little lassie
In whom centers our interest on this gala day;
She came with her grand-parents, across the blue ocean,
And her name it was Nancy—just Nancy McRae.

Now this lassie grew up in statue and beauty;
To school she was sent, and there did she glean
Both a knowledge of books and love's sweetest lesson,
For she married her teacher—the noble MacQueen.
On the Northwestern coast, near the roar of the breakers,
Was born James MacQueen on the Isle of Skye,
While Nancy McRae, whom he afterwards wedded,
Saw the dawn of the day on the Isle of Kentyre,
A lineal descendant of Robert the Bruce,
As shown on our family tree,
And nephew of Flora, the Scotch heroine,
Was our sire from over the sea.
Soon after this marriage, from Anson they came,
In this our great county to dwell,
They purchased fair lands in the primeval forest
And founded the home of Queensdale.
To the house of McQueen twelve children were given
From whose branches has sprung a great clan,
They are scattered throughout many States of this Union
"From Beersheba, to the waters of Dan."

My heart thrills with pride, and infinite pleasure
As I view the large concourse of our clansmen McQueen,
To know they're my kinsmen, from one head descended,
And that the same blood is coursing our veins.
And now may the God whom our forefathers worshipped
Environ each member of our loved clan
With His love and care, and constant protection
And "Be with us all till we meet here again."

—MRS. BELLA McELYEA—"Aunt Becky".

TEACHERS' SUMMER SCHOOL.

Session Begins June 17th at Greenvill , N. C.—Faculty

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greenville, N. C., June 7.—On the 17th of June the Summer School begins at the East Carolina Teachers Training School. Every Summer since this school was established it has had its doors wide open to those who are in the school room teaching during the regular term. More than a thousand teachers were in the schools of North Carolina during the present school year who have received more or less training at this splendid institution. The prospects for the coming term are brighter than ever before. Every room in the dormitories has been engaged with full eight week students since the 4th day of April. One hundred and fifty-four applications have been received since then and had to be turned down for want of room.

The town has generously thrown open its homes and the number of those attending this Summer will be limited by the capacity both of the school and of the town.

These Summer terms are in truth just one of the terms of the school. They are run just as the regular terms with some time for work and recitation. The books taught in the public schools are supplied to the teachers. The infirmary is kept open just as in the regular term. In fact, the same class of work is done and the same rules and regulations apply as during the regular term. Credit is given for work done during the Summer courses and a student may by continuous attendance of sufficient time complete these courses and get credit for the same.

Certificates of attendance are given to all who attend stating how long they have been present and this attendance fulfills the requirements of the law. Those certificates are received anywhere in the State.

The course in "Educational Administration and Supervision" bids fair to be much more largely attended this year than in any previous year. The school is to be congratulated that it has brought such a course to our very doors and thus saved the expense of having to get it at a high cost some where else far removed from us.

The work of a school is measured largely by those who teach. An unusually large faculty has been secured for the coming Summer term. The following compose the faculty and officers for this term:

President—Robt. H. Wright.
Director of Summer School—C. W. Wilson, regular faculty.
Educational Administration and Supervision—Harold Barnes.
Supervisor Elementary Education, Girard College, Phil. Pedagogy—E. C. Brooks, Chair of Education, Trinity College.
Science—H. E. Austin, regular faculty.
History—E. D. Pusy, Goldsboro City Schools.
English—L. R. Meadows, regular faculty.
School Management—W. H. Ragsdale, regular faculty.
Mathematics—Miss Mabel M. Comfort, Teachers' College, N. Y.
Mathematic and English—Miss Birdie McKinney, Reidsville schools.
Drawing—Miss Kate W. Lewis, regular faculty.
Primary Methods—Miss May Barrett, regular faculty.
Science—Miss Alice Wilson, G. F. College, Greensboro.
Music—Miss May R. B. Muffly, regular faculty.
Latin—Miss Daisy B. Waitt, regular faculty.
Critic Teacher—Miss Miriam MacFadgen, regular faculty.
Bursar—J. B. Spilman.
Lady Principal—Mrs. Kate R. Beckwith.
Secretary—Miss Emma R. Jones.
Librarian and Custodian of Records—Miss Ola S. Ross.
Superintendent of Infirmary—Miss Mittie R. Beaman.
Matron—Miss Mary Rankin.
Physician—Dr. Chas. O'H. Laughinghouse.

We can hope for better trained teachers in our schools since the doors of our State institution are being thrown open to them each Summer. No teacher can afford to lag behind. Not to do so means to take the training now offered them.

TURK, BULGAR AND GREEK

Son of Hellas Has No Use for Ancient Foe or Late Ally

A United States lawyer was bullragging a Greek bootblack—a Greek who cannot think very fast in English. You could see him, as he turned his head in thought, painfully translating his Greek emotions into American expressions that would convey his ideas. The conversation turned on the Balkan war and particularly on the outrageous way the Bulgars are cutting up just now, fighting their late allies, the Greeks, as savagely as they fought the Turks awhile back. The bootblack held high opinion of the Serbs and Montenegrins—"Good-a men," he said. But "Bulgar?" He cursed them in Greek, Arabic, French, German and English. "Well, suppose a Turk would climb up here and sit down in your chair?" said the lawyer, "and tell you, 'Shine-a-ma-shoe,' what would you do?" The Greek stared amazed that one should ask such a question, and finding his English wholly inadequate for reply, he simply drew a rigid forefinger across his throat—a gesture so eloquently expressive that it had all words skinned a block. Then bending over the shoe he was shining, he drew the cloth backwards and forwards so fast that it smoked.

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It is very unfortunate that so many sufferers lose all nerve, all self control, and the first thing they do is to throw themselves into the clutches of those who take all their money, fill their veins and arteries with Mercury, Iodide of Potash, Arsenic or other mineral poisons and practically wreck their lives.

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Epitaph of the Common House Fly and How to Get Rid of Them.

(By S. A. M.)

A swarm of flies came buzzing by,
And soon a garbage can did spy,
Oh! my, they cried in flyish glee,
That filthy can looks good to me.
No place we've seen in all our flight,
As nice as this for us to light.
So down they flew as all flies will,
To the filthy can of slops and swill.
The can was sitting in the sun,
And Mrs. Blow-fly had begun,
You know it's Mrs. Blow-fly's way
To turn all things into decay.
And she had done herself real proud,
For this old can was smelling loud.
Of course, this helped attract attention,
The flies were holding a great convention.
Flies had gathered from miles around,
Large, small, black, green, yellow and brown.
The object of the meeting there,
Was to map out plans for the coming year.
The chairman, he spoke up and said,
He wasn't pleased with last year's dead.
He said that we must come to terms,
And try our best to scatter germs.
He warned them to be very shy,
Of the boys and girls, that "swat the fly."
Also, he thought 'twas awful mean,
For any one their house to screen.
He told of a paper on which flies stick,
But they were on to that old trick.
Now, these he said, are not so bad,
I've something else to tell real sad.
Men these days are very wise,
They know that germs are carried by flies.
They know that on our feet and legs,
Are millions and millions of germs and eggs.
They also know that flies can cause,
As many deaths as all the wars.
So they have made a preparation
That'll soon be spread throughout the Nation.
If all reports I hear be true,
I see the finish of me and you.
The stuff's a wonder—that is, men say,
Guaranteed to drive all flies away.
And everywhere it has been tried,
Flies and insects by the thousands died.
They say it's of a liquid kind,
Made "Down South" from the long leaf pine.
It's used in such a simple way,
Blown through the tube which causes a spray.
It penetrates the air so fast,
A few minutes only our lives can last.
Spring is here, it's time to work,
We want no drones, no one must shirk.
Now what we wish to do is plain,
To kill all the babies that we can.
But now and ever understand,
That it shall always be our plan,
To make ourselves as busy as bees,
To scatter every known disease.
The place for us to do our worst,
Is the nipple of the bottle that the babies nurse
And then it should be awful handy,
To crawl all over children's candy.
To do this thing successfully,
We must do it systematically.
Let's fly from here to the manure pile,
And crawl over it awhile;
From there we'll fly to the horse's stall,
And there we'll have another crawl.
When we finish with the horse's stable,
Then it's to the dining table.
And if they open a sick room door,
Make a dive for the cuspidor.
If you'll try and do just what I say,
Everything will be our way.
But talk is cheap, we're losing time,
Let's make our hay while the sun doth shine.
We'll start right now, to the house we'll fly,
Our motto, ever "TO DO OR DIE."
And so right there from that filthy can,
The 1913 season began.
They all went swarming to the house,
When they got there, things were as still as a mouse.
It seemed to them that from afar,
Came the faintest odor, the smell of Tar.
But this they did not mind at all,
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ALLISON ALDERMAN.

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History of Negotiations With Legislative Commission

Material Reductions In Rates Were Offered

Could Not Accept Proposition of Legislative Commission, But Suggest That Question Be Submitted To Interstate Commerce Commission, and Agree Not to Appeal From Its Decision

Hon. W. C. Dowd, May 27th, 1913.
Chairman, Charlotte, N. C.

Dear Sir:

We observe in the public press that, at a recent meeting of certain business men at Raleigh, you as Chairman of a committee introduced a set of resolutions, the first preamble of which is as follows:

"Whereas, The representatives of the railroads operating in North Carolina, in meeting assembled, on April 29, repudiated and failed to carry out their promises made to the governor and the special freight rate commission at the meeting held on February 26, to correct the present excessive and discriminatory freight rates,"

Inasmuch as your name, in your representative capacity as Chairman, has thus become associated with the preamble and resolutions in question, we trust we may be permitted to explain to you, and through you to the important interests your committee represents, that, in our judgment, when the facts are fully appreciated, no charge of bad faith can be justly made against us.

At the outset, we must express our profound regret that the impression should prevail in the minds of any one, and especially in the minds of yourself and others associated with you, that the carriers have been guilty of any lack of good faith in their dealings with the representatives of North Carolina in regard to the important questions which have been involved in the recent negotiations with the Legislative Freight Rate Commission.

We have endeavored to live, and we believe we have lived, fully up to both the letter and the spirit of our proposition made on the 26th of February.

The proposition made, on that date, by the railroads and accepted by the Commission was as follows:

"1. The carriers, now engaging therein, will withdraw from business from the West to Virginia City points through North Carolina. This will be done, not because they consider the carrying of such business at present tariff rates as economically unsound, but in deference to the sentiment of the North Carolina public on the subject. It will be done in good faith, but as a matter of current business management with the understanding, however, that if any of them should hereafter resume such business, the State of North Carolina is to lose none of its rights as at present existing or such as it may hereafter have, in respect to such rate structure.

"2. That the carriers will, for the purpose of these negotiations, recognize the principle of making a lower proportional rate from Virginia City points to North Carolina points, than the rate now existing and will endeavor to work out with this Commission what would be such reasonable reduction, this Commission or its representatives to sit with the representatives of the carriers in the effort to arrive at what is reasonable and proper in the premises; with the understanding, however, that, although actuated by the disposition to make sacrifices to fairly meet the views entertained in North Carolina that freight rates from the West to North Carolina points are unjustly discriminatory as compared with rates from the West to Virginia City points, the carriers are confronted with the difficulty that a voluntary reduction in these rates will, under the law as administered by the Interstate Commerce Commission, doubtless be used to measure the rates into other territory and to bring about a reduction of these last mentioned rates. Because of the smaller density of traffic in the South as compared with the Trunk Line and adjacent territory, it is impossible for the carriers to make or stand such general reduction in rates. The view of the North Carolina public can, without incurring the serious consequences mentioned as to rates into other territory, only be met under an order of the Interstate Commerce Commission directing certain reductions to North Carolina points and holding that such reductions will not affect the rates into other territory. Any agreement reached is, therefore, to be carried out by an application by the North Carolina authorities to the Interstate Commerce Commission for such an order, and the carriers will co-operate in an effort to secure such reductions as may be agreed upon between the North Carolina Commission and the carriers, provided such order of the Interstate Commerce Commission will protect them from reductions because of such reductions to North Carolina territory, in their rates to other territory; and provided, further, that if the action of the Interstate Commerce Commission shall not be in accordance with such agreement, the State of North Carolina shall not be precluded from such other action in respect thereto as it may be advised. If the Commission and the carriers fail to agree upon what would be reasonable in the premises, the North Carolina authorities may in their discretion submit the question to the Interstate Commerce Commission and the carriers pledge themselves to facilitate and expedite the hearing and determination thereof in every reasonable manner, but the State is not hereby precluded from using any other remedy or taking any other action as it may be advised.

"3. If there are any other questions with reference to the rate situation which either the said Commission or the carriers may desire to have considered, such question may be taken up and considered with a view of adjusting them by agreement between said Commission and the carriers, and if not adjusted, then the position of neither party to be prejudiced by such consideration or by anything herein contained. Any other questions not presented and agreed upon are left unprejudiced hereby.

"4. Inasmuch as this is an effort made in the earnest desire on the part of the carriers to meet the sentiment of North Carolina and to remove causes of controversy in that State, the above suggestion is made with the understanding that if, for any reason, it is not acceptable to the North Carolina authorities, or a final adjustment is not reached thereunder, nothing herein contained is to be used to the prejudice of the carriers in any proceeding that may be instituted against them, or any of them, in respect to freight rates as regards North Carolina territory."

In presenting this proposition, the spokesman for the railroads, as will appear from the stenographic report on file with the North Carolina Corporation Commission, made the following statement:

"Your Excellency, it seems to us that the only principle on which we can maintain lower rates in North Carolina than we can in other states to the South is the fact that North Carolina is the most nearly contiguous territory to Virginia, which has these abnormally low rates, and that, therefore, the effect of that proximity may be reflected into North Carolina, whereas it could not be reflected further off."

It is difficult, of course, as there are no specifications, to appreciate exactly in what respect it is thought the railroads have not in entire good faith lived up to this accepted proposition. In the absence of such specifications, we can only examine what the proposition essentially was and compare it with the action of the railroads pursuant to it.

It will be observed that the proposition consists of four paragraphs, the fourth of which shows that the three preceding paragraphs, although dealing with different features of the proposition, all constitute a single basis of adjustment and it was expressly stated that, "if a final adjustment is not reached thereunder, nothing herein contained is to be used to the prejudice of the carriers."

Let us examine then what the proposition actually contained.

First: It provided that the carriers, now engaged therein, would withdraw from business from the West to Virginia City points through North Carolina.

There has never been any subsequent discussion of this paragraph, for the reason that it is fully understood that the carriers stand ready to withdraw from this business as soon as an adjustment is reached in respect to the other points, which constitute the points really at issue.

Second: It provided that the carriers would, for the purpose of these negotiations, recognize the principle of making a lower proportional rate from Virginia City points to North Carolina points than the rates now existing, and would endeavor to work out with the Commission such reasonable reductions, the Commission or its representatives to sit with the representatives of the carriers in the effort to arrive at what would be reasonable and proper in the premises. The proposition thereupon went on to carefully explain that "although actuated by the disposition to make sacrifices to fairly meet the views entertained in North Carolina that freight rates from the West to North Carolina points are unjustly discriminatory as compared with rates from the West to Virginia City points," the carriers could make no such adjustment as would extend reductions into territory other than North Carolina and to explain the reasons for it, and, to ensure this, there was an express provision that any basis agreed upon should be carried by the North Carolina authorities to the Interstate Commerce Commission and should become effective only if that Commission would enter an order which would protect the carriers from reductions into other territory because of such reductions to North Carolina points.

Third: It provided that the Legislative Commission or the carriers might bring up any other points that either thought proper for discussion and action.

Reverting now to the second paragraph of the above proposition, it will, we think, be readily appreciated, from reading the text of that paragraph, especially in view of the statement made by the spokesman of the carriers, that the only way that the second paragraph could be carried into effect would be through the means of reflecting into North Carolina points the influence of the abnormally low rates which exist to Virginia Cities (for which these carriers are not responsible and which they cannot control), and that any basis of agreement reached under that paragraph and covering the points thereby provided for, must be such as would not involve a reduction of rates into other states. This limitation and condition was, by the express terms of the proposition, put upon the negotiations. It was considered essential by the carriers and its propriety was expressly agreed to by the representatives of the State. Negotiations were thereupon entered into under the limitation that anything agreed upon in respect to reductions of rates must be of such a character that it should not have the effect of reducing the rates of the carriers into territory other than North Carolina and that that conclusion should be approved and endorsed by an express order of the Interstate Commerce Commission protecting the carriers from any such reduction into other territory.

It follows from this that any reduction of rates that might be agreed upon, coming as a consequence of the influence of the abnormally low rates to Virginia City points, must be greatest to North Carolina points in closest proximity to Virginia City points, and would gradually lessen and finally disappear as the distance from Virginia City points increased. Otherwise, we would create such a situation that points in North Carolina near the South Carolina border, or the Tennessee border, would have such low rates that the influence of such low rates would necessarily extend across the borders into other states, and the Interstate Commerce Commission could make no such protecting order as was in contemplation and expressly provided for. This, we submit, must be universally conceded.

Fully appreciating, therefore, the problem before them, and seeking in the most earnest and sincere way to find a solution, the chief freight traffic officers of these railroads were instructed, by their chief executives, to consider and report a basis of adjustment that would reflect, to the utmost practicable extent, the influence of the Virginia City situation into North Carolina and at the same time would preserve the essential condition of the proposition that it should not operate beyond the limits of North Carolina territory.

Pursuant to these instructions and after a thorough investigation of the rate situation applicable to North Carolina, these representatives of the railroads, with the full authority of the chief executive officers, suggested certain material reductions in the rates complained of to North Carolina points, which we then believed, and still believe, are in accord with both the letter and the spirit of the basic proposition. We believed that the proposition then made embraced all the reductions which could be made without opening the doors to such radical reductions of rates throughout the Southeastern territory as would reduce the rates into other territory than North Carolina and thus threaten the very existence of these properties.

We thought it best and, in fact, necessary, for the chief traffic officers of the roads to take up with the Legislative Commission the discussion of rates, rather than that the chief executives should do so, for it was a subject in respect to which these traffic officers alone could enter into an intelligent discussion of all the essential details. In fact, it will be seen from the very language of the proposition that it was in contemplation that the Commission itself need not meet the representatives of the railroads; for it might desire its representatives to be experts in rates and to sit with the representatives of the carriers—and likewise it was provided that the representatives of the carriers—without designating them and thus giving the carriers like opportunity to be represented by their traffic experts—were to sit with the representatives of the Commission, or the Commission itself, in the effort to arrive at what would be reasonably proper under the circumstances.

The reductions proposed were applicable to all points in North Carolina within the range of the principle of reflecting into North Carolina alone the influence of the low rate basis to the Virginia City points. The reduction was greatest at the points nearest the Virginia Cities; it was less as this distance increased, and it disappeared practically altogether before it reached the State southern and western border lines. As heretofore explained, we could not hope that the Interstate Commerce Commission would approve reductions on any other principle or would be able, under any other conditions, to enter an order protecting the carriers from a reduction of their rates into other territory because of these reductions to North Carolina points.

We did not approach the Legislative Commission with the idea of assuming a trading position. We thought it due to the importance of the occasion and to the dignity of the representatives of the State, that we should come forward at first with the best proposition which we believed we could offer. While we regarded the proposition we submitted as the best and most substantial which we thought could be worked out, we were still always in the attitude of readiness to have our authorized representatives sit down with the representatives of the State, and discuss, in all its features, any suggestion that might be advanced, and were ready to consider with an open mind anything that might be brought to our attention in that connection.

We are, however, of the opinion that our offer was most substantial and that the extent and scope of the reductions contemplated by it have not yet been fully realized, and that the benefits to be derived from putting it into effect have been almost entirely overlooked.

Our proposition was the result of a patient and conscientious investigation. It was submitted to the Legislative Commission on April 19th and declined by the Commission the same day. A counter proposition was made that afternoon by the Commission; and, after fully considering this counter proposition for a period of ten days, we were convinced that the rates suggested would result in reductions of revenue so serious as to impair the usefulness of these carriers and that it would be impossible to put them into effect without causing a general reduction throughout the southeast.

As the proposition of February 26th provided that any reductions agreed upon were to be of a character not to affect rates outside of North Carolina, and as it was never contemplated that the railroads were to make sacrifices which would destroy their usefulness and their ability to perform their public service, we believed that the counter proposition submitted by the Legislative Commission, while in good faith intended to be, was not in compliance with the express provision of the basic proposition of February 26th. We gave our reasons for not accepting this proposition of the Legislative Commission in the answer submitted to the conference at Raleigh on April 29th, which was given in writing, and, while we do not consider it appropriate to enter here into a discussion of the merits of the rate situation, that answer, which deals with it, is subject to the inspection of any person interested in its contents.

In the afternoon of April 29th the Legislative Commission submitted a rejoinder to the effect that our answer was not satisfactory, and offered certain modifications of its counter proposition, thus, as it seems to us, indicating that they themselves realized that their first proposition could not be sustained and did not meet the requirements of the basic proposition which imposed limits upon the scope of the negotiations. We found, however, that the obstacles, which we considered insurmountable in the original counter proposition, still remained. The Commission was respectfully advised of the reasons why we found it impossible to adopt this second suggestion. We believed then, and we believe now, that these reasons were cogent and compelling, but the Commission thought otherwise and, greatly to our regret, the conference was, at the Commission's instance, declared at an end.

The termination of the conference has raised an issue between the Legislative Commission and the railroads. That issue is this: "What, under the terms of the proposition, and under a recognition of the principle of making a lower proportional rate from Virginia Cities points to North Carolina points than the rates now existing, would be a fair and reasonable reduction?"

We concede that the Legislative Commission, in advocating a readjustment of rates upon the basis which it has adopted, is acting in the best of faith and is actuated by patriotic motives. With equal sincerity and with full confidence in the justice of our position, we contend that the reduction proposed by the Legislative Commission is too great and is beyond what was contemplated by the agreement of February 26th. In fact, we are convinced that the suggestion of the Legislative Commission will be found in direct conflict with the provision of that agreement which requires that any reduction of rates agreed upon should be confined to North Carolina territory and should not extend into other States, and that an order of the Interstate Commerce Commission should be obtained protecting the carriers against any reduction into other States because of this reduction to North Carolina points. Nothing would give us greater satisfaction than to arrive at an amicable agreement with the Commission and bring about a settlement of the rate controversy upon a basis which we would be in a position to accept.

In fact, as soon as it was made to us, we welcomed the suggestion that, although the conference between the Legislative Commission and ourselves had been declared at an end by that Commission, the North Carolina Corporation Commission, through its chairman, Mr. Travis, should take up with the traffic representatives of the railroads a further consideration of these controverted points, and see whether, in a patriotic and earnest effort on both sides, some amicable and reasonable adjustment might not be suggested and might not be reached. We are glad to say that these negotiations are continuing and we shall hope that such a conclusion may be reached by the representatives of the State of North Carolina, on the one side, and the representatives of these carriers, on the other, as will bring about an acceptable and a final adjustment of this much controverted question.

If our hopes and the hopes of the people of North Carolina be disappointed in respect to this, we will then be confronted by the question of what is the proper course to be pursued in respect to this matter.

Conceding the sincerity and patriotism and the desire to do justice on the part of the Legislative Commission and on the part of the representatives of North Carolina, but respectfully and firmly insisting that we are actuated by the same high motives, what is the proper thing for us to do? On the one hand, is it proper for the carriers to insist on an arbitrary adherence to their own conclusions in respect to this matter and to refuse to have it determined by any independent and disinterested authority? On the other hand, is it proper for the representatives of the State to insist arbitrarily upon their view and to exercise their power for the purpose of coercing an acceptance? Must not both of these questions be answered in the negative? Is it not, on the contrary, the proper, wise, and patriotic thing to submit this difference, conscientiously entertained on both sides, to the adjudication of the only tribunal provided by law for the settlement of just such controversies?

It is not the function of the State, or within its lawful authority, to control interstate rates, and the power of the railroads in respect to them is expressly made subject to the control and authority of the Interstate Commerce Commission. It is universally admitted that the regulation of interstate rates is a function of the national government alone. That government has provided instrumentalities for the special purpose and a tribunal for the adjudication of all disputes relating to interstate rates. It has provided a Commission which to a very high degree possesses the coinfidence of the American people and its doors are open and its procedure simple. The determination of a case can be expedited and a conclusion reached at an early day. We are obliged by the proposition of February 26th to expedite a hearing before that Commission in every practicable way and we stand ready to promptly and fully comply with that duty. It will be seen from the language of the proposition, where it is provided that "if the Commission and the carriers fail to agree upon what would be reasonable in the premises, the North Carolina authorities may in their discretion submit the question to the Interstate Commerce Commission, and the carriers pledge themselves to facilitate and expedite the hearing and the determination thereof in every reasonable manner" (although the State is not precluded from using any other remedy or taking any other action), it is expressly contemplated that an appeal to the Interstate Commerce Commission may be made. Not only was this in the contemplation of the proposition as made, but the joint resolution of the North Carolina Legislature at its last session, in relation to this very matter, contained these two paragraphs:

"THIRD: That pending the enactment into law by Congress of the principles above declared for, it should, in the opinion of the General Assembly of North Carolina, be the policy of the State, to press before the Interstate Commerce Commission objections to the injustice of allowing any discrimination against North Carolina points, in favor of other points outside of the State to which hauls are longer than to the North Carolina points, and which longer hauls include the hauls to such North Carolina points.

"FOURTH: That, in addition to the powers conferred on the North Carolina Corporation Commission to institute and prosecute cases before the Interstate Commerce Commission for relief to the people of North Carolina from discriminatory and excessive charges by common carriers, power is conferred upon the Governor to institute and prosecute such cases, either independent of or in conjunction with the North Carolina Corporation Commission, in his name on behalf of the people of the State, or in the name of any combined association or body of citizens, or in the name of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, and for such purpose the sum of not exceeding five thousand dollars a year is appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to be paid on the order of the Governor."

Thus it will be seen that the Legislature of North Carolina expressly declared its policy to be that this matter of dispute should be carried by the State to the Interstate Commerce Commission and the Governor was empowered to institute and prosecute such proceedings, either independently or in conjunction with the North Carolina Commission, or in his own name in behalf of the people of the State, or in the name of others that are mentioned, and an appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars a year was expressly made to bear the expense of this procedure.

Under these circumstances of the provisions of the proposition in question and of the declared policy of the State, made by a solemn resolution of its General Assembly, we submit that that course ought to be followed. The railroads have no purpose to enter upon a course of contention or of litigation. As above stated, they are prepared to expedite a hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission by every means in their power, and when a conclusion is reached they are prepared to adopt it, whatever it may be, without questioning it in any court whatever, and retain it in operation, without controversy, during the full time the order of the Interstate Commerce Commission is in force.

We are profoundly impressed with the idea that an amicable settlement of this controversy is necessary for the welfare of all concerned. We hope for a definite and permanent settlement, and we appreciate that no settlement can be permanent unless fair and just both to the people of the State and the railroads. The railroads are among the largest employers of labor in the State; they pay the highest scale of wages; they contribute as much as any other class of citizens to the welfare of the State; while their employes contribute in no small measure to the State's prosperity and are effective in every patriotic service.

The principle of regulation has the unqualified approval of the American people. The power of regulation as to interstate commerce must of necessity be, as it has expressly been, vested in the federal government and in it alone. This principle carries with it certain restrictions as well as immense advantages, when viewed from the standpoint of any one State, as well as from the standpoint of all the States. The advantages immeasurably outweigh the disadvantages. In this connection it cannot be forgotten that North Carolina was one of the first of the States to advocate National, instead of State, control of interstate commerce. As far back as 1781, before the adoption of the Constitution, we find the representatives of North Carolina in the Continental Congress offering a suggestion to the States that the power to control interstate commerce be surrendered to the national government, instead of being reserved, as was then the case, by each State. Later, when the Constitutional Convention was framing our organic law, the representatives of North Carolina again favored, and were instrumental in securing, the adoption of the commerce clause as it now stands, which vested in the federal government exclusive right of control of interstate commerce.

In suggesting that this controversy, relating solely to interstate rates, be submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission for settlement, we are not asking that any subject be withdrawn from any tribunal, legislative or judicial, of North Carolina, of which those tribunals have lawful or rightful jurisdiction. We are asking only what North Carolina has always insisted upon, that the regulation of interstate commerce shall, in this condition of difficulty, as well as in every other, be regulated by the power which all the States have placed exclusively in the hands of the federal government.

In view of this attitude of submission to law and in view of the facts herein stated in respect to what they have attempted to do to meet the just expectations of the state regarding these rates, we respectfully and earnestly submit that no charge of bad faith, or of lawlessness, or of arbitrary conduct, or of a desire to dictate the conditions under which the commerce of North Carolina shall be conducted, can justly be laid at the doors of these carriers.

In conclusion, may we not express the earnest hope that, notwithstanding the termination of the negotiations with the Legislative Commission, had at its instance, there may yet be found by the Corporation Commission, in the conference now being held with its chairman, Mr. Travis, and the representatives of the traffic departments of these carriers, a basis for a friendly adjustment of all differences?

May we not express the further hope that, if they should fail to find the means of arriving at an amicable adjustment, recourse will be loyally had by both parties to the only tribunal having jurisdiction under the laws of North Carolina as well as of the United States, and that these differences be submitted to its final adjudication?

Mindful of the fact that the State and the railroads must live together, that their interest and welfare are inseparable, and that the welfare and prosperity of both can be promoted only by a policy of good will and conciliation, is it not the duty of both sides to this unfortunate controversy to go to the one impartial tribunal, established by law for that purpose, which has the jurisdiction and the power to finally adjudicate and adjust the differences between us, to establish the rates which shall prevail, and to determine what is the fair and reasonable solution of our difficult problem?

Respectfully,

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9x12 Smith Axminster Art Square. Regular $30 value; Mill-End Sale $22.50
9x12 Smith Palisade Velvet Art Square. Regular $22.00 value; Mill-End Sale $16.98

Deltox yard-wide, stripe or solid color Runners splendid assortment.

Carpets of the best makes; Brussels, Velvet and Tapestry Carpets; great variety

Linoleums, domestic and foreign; printed and inlaid.

Trunks, Suit Cases, Traveling Bags.

Mosquito Canopies, Hammocks and Porch Screens, and Baby Protectors, to keep the Flies and Mosquitoes off the Baby. Call and see.

Bed Spreads at Bargain Prices.

$1.00 White Bed Spreads; Mill-End Sale 75c
$1.25 White Bed Spreads; Mill-End Sale 98c
$1.75 White Bed Spreads; Mill-End Sale . . . $1.39
$2.50 White Bed Spreads; Mill-End Sale $1.98

One lot fine Negligee Shirts; bought especially for this sale; a manufacturer's Overstock; some $1.50 values; Special, Mill-End Sale 89c

SPECIAL 30 MINUTES SALE EACH DAY

MONDAY, JUNE 9th, at 10:00 to 10:30 A. M. and 4:00 to 4:30 P. M.
5,000 yards of yard wide Bleaching, for 30 minutes (limit 10 yards), per yard 5c

MONDAY, JUNE 9th, at 11:00 to 11:30 A. M. and 5:00 to 5:30 P. M.
$1.50 to $2.50 Hats, including ready-to-wear and the newest styles and colors and shapes (limit, 2), for 30 minutes at 50c

TUESDAY, JUNE 10th, 10:00 to 10:30 A. M. and 4:00 to 4:30 P. M.
4,000 yards best 10c Chambray, all colors (limit, 8 yards), for 30 minutes, at 5c

TUESDAY, JUNE 10th, 11:00 to 11:30 A. M. and 5:00 to 5:30 P. M.
$1.00 fancy colored Parasols; new styles; splendid values; about 20 colors to select from; for 30 minutes only 50c

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11th, 10:00 to 10:30 A. M. and 4:00 to 4:30 P. M.
4,000 yards 12½c Plaid Zephyr Gingham; Special 30 minute sale (limit, 8 yards), at 5c

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11th, 11:00 to 11:30 A. M. and 5:00 to 5:30 P. M.
Oil Cloth, suitable for covering Stair Carpet, Hall Tracking; can be used for covering Shelves; 10c value; Special 30 minute sale; the yard 5c

THURSDAY, JUNE 12th, 10:00 to 10:30 A. M. and 4:00 to 4:30 P. M.
3,000 yards solid color Lawns; all the leading colors and white; 10c quality 30 inches wide; Special 30 minutes sale (limit, 8 yards), at 5c

THURSDAY, JUNE 12th, 11:00 to 11:30 A. M. and 5:00 to 5:30 P. M.
Men's 50c patent seam Drill Drawers (limit, 2 pairs), 30 minutes sale 29c

FRIDAY, JUNE 13th, 10:00 to 10:30 A. M.
3,000 yards best 6c light Calico; big variety; neat, small figures; Splendid values; Special 30 minutes sale, 10 yards for 35c

FRIDAY, JUNE 13th, Store Closes at One o'clock.

SATURDAY, JUNE 14th.
Shoes and Hat Sale, all day; great variety Untrimmed Hats, $1.50 to $3.00 values; all day, only 50c

All Day Shoe Sale—Women's, Misses and Children's Oxfords; black, tan and white. Splendid variety Boys' Oxfords; tan and black; former prices, $2.00 to $3.00, Mill-End Sale 98c

TWO EXTRAORDINARY SILK OFFERINGS

These are attractive, seasonable Silks, such as are wanted by almost every woman who wants Silks at all, yet one lot is just about half price, and the other a mere trifle over half price. Only a few thousand yards in each lot, and they will probably be taken away in a jiffy. A yard-wide Charmeuse, splendid line of colors, neat figures and designs. Regular $1.50 Silks, 40 inches wide; Mill-End Sale . . 98c

36-inch Charmeuse and Messaline Silks, in about all the most desirable shades, stripes and figures. Regular $1.25 value; Mill-End Sale 79c

A few other Silks of great values are the yard-wide Messalines. Regular $1.00 values; Mill-End Sale 69c

27-inch Foulards, 75c values; Mill-End Sale 42c

39c fancy Tub Silks and neat Stripe Silks; Mill-End Sale 25c

27-inch Japonika Silks, 25c values; fancy colors; Mill-End Sale 19c

SPRING AND SUMMER MILLINERY

The greatest Bargain Sale ever seen; over 200 dozen New Hats; the actual values are $2.00 to $4.98; these Hats are the manufacturer's Overstock; they sold them to us at practically our own price, which enables us to offer them at such a great saving. The entire lot will be grouped together in the following order:

$1.00 to $2.00 Hats at 50c
$2.00 to $3.00 Hats at 98c
$3.00 to $4.00 Hats at $1.48
$4.00 to $4.98 Hats at $1.98

J. H. REHDER & CO.

The Popular Department Store.

Ladies' All-Linen Handkerchiefs, hand-embroidered, unlaundered, at just one-half price; 25c values; Mill-End Sale, each 12½c

Women's fine Neckwear; Coat Collars, great assortment, 50c to 75c values; Mill-End Sale 23c
75c to $1.00 values 48c

Towels and Table Linens at a Bargain.

Good sizes 5c Cotton Towels; Mill-End Sale . . . 4c
16x36 10c Cotton Huck Towels; Mill-End Sale . . 7c
18x40 15c Cotton Huck Towels; Mill-End Sale . . 10c
25c Mercerized Towels; colored border; Mill-End Sale 19c
35c Linen Towels; colored borders; Mill-End Sale 23c
25c Table Damask, 56 inches wide; Mill-End Sale, per yard 18c
35c Table Damask, 64 inches wide; Mill-End Sale; per yard 25c
50c Table Damask, 64 inches wide; Mill-End Sale, per yard 39c
$1.25 Table Linen, 72 inches wide; Mill-End Sale, per yard 98c
$1.00 Table Linen Damask, 70 inches wide; Mill-End Sale, per yard 69c

Sheets and Pillow Cases; Splendid Values.

50c Sheets, 72x90 inches (seam); Mill-End Sale 37c
85c Sheets, 81x90 inches, full measure; Mill-End Sale 69c
$1.00 Sheets, 90x90 inches, full measure; Mill-End Sale 79c
12 1-2c Pillow Cases, full size; Mill-End Sale . . . 9c
19c Pillow Cases, full size; Mill-End Sale 13c
25c Pillow Cases, full size; Mill-End Sale 18c
35c Pillow Cases, hemstitched; Mill-End Sale . . 23c

Attractive Values in Men's Underwear.

25c Undershirts and Drawers to match, gauze or check nainsook; Special; Mill-End Sale 19c
50c Underwear, balbriggan or nainsook, short or long sleeves, or short or long Drawers; Mill-End Sale 39c
50c Patent Seam Drawers; Mill-End Sale . . . 35c
25c Plain, solid color, Socks; Mill-End Sale . . . 15c
19c Plain, solid color, Socks; Mill-End Sale . . . 12 1-2c
25c Plain, solid color, Lisle, Silk Finished Socks; Mill-End Sale 19c
10c Plain, solid color, Socks; Mill-End Sale . . 7 1-2c
10c Handkerchiefs, fancy border; Mill-End Sale . . 5c
5c White Handkerchiefs; Mill-End Sale 3c
15c Plain, All Linen Handkerchiefs; Mill-End Sale 10c
Men's 25c Belts; Mill-End Sale 19c
Men's 50c Belts; Mill-End Sale 39c

Wonderful Savings in Shoes.

$1.50 Skuffer Sandals, black and tan; all sizes; Mill-End Sale 98c
One olt Infants' Slippers, formerly sold at 75c and $1.00; Mill-End Sale 50c
Boys' black and tan Oxfords; regular $2.50 and $3.00 values; Mill-End Sale $1.19
One lot $3.50 and $4.00 Crawford Oxfords, black and tan; Mill-End Sale . . . . . $2.50 and $3.00
James Means' $3.00 Oxfords, patent leather, tan and gun metal; Mill-End Sale $2.25
Men's $6.00 Bannister Oxfords; Mill-End Sale $3.00
Men's $4.00 Excelsior Oxfords; Mill-End Sale $2.50
Misses' black and tan Slippers; Special; Mill-End Sale $1.19
Children's black and tan Oxfords; Special; Mill-End Sale 78c
Women's $2.00 and $2.50 Slippers; Special; Mill-End Sale $1.39
Women's $3.00 and $3.50 Oxfords; Special; Mill-End Sale $1.98

Women's Underwear and Hosiery.

10c Gauze Vests; Mill-End Sale 6 1-2c
15c Gauze Vests; Mill-End Sale 9c
10c Plain black and tan Hose; Mill-End Sale . . 7 1-2c
25c Plain tan Hose; Mill-End Sale 15c
50c Silk Hose, black, tan and white; Mill-End Sale 39c
$1.25 Black Silk Hose; Mill-End Sale 98c

Waists and Skirts at Big Savings.

$3.00 Silk Waists, newest styles, all colors; Mill-End Sale $2.25
One lot Wrappers; Mill-End Sale 98c
$1.25 House Dresses; Mill-End Sale 98c
$1.50 White Pique Skirts; Mill-End Sale 98c
Serge Skirts in great variety; $2.25 to $6.50; all the latest styles.

Men's and Boys' Clothing.

Men's new Mohair Suits; regular $18.00 values; Mill-End Sale $12.50
Boys' Blue Serge Knickerbocker Suits; regular $6.00 values; Mill-End Sale $4.50
Boys' Knickerbocker Pants; specially assorted; great values; Mill-End Sale 50c
Men's New Straw Hats all go at Mill-End Prices.

Men's 25c Wash 4-in-Hand Ties; swell line colors; Mill-End Sale 19c

Also Crochet and Knit Ties, in all the new Balkan colors; Mill-End Sale . . . 19c

PROVERBS MOSTLY OLD

MAJORITY HAVE BEEN HANDED DOWN FOR CENTURIES.

Same Meaning Is Expressed in Varying Phrases Among Different Nations—Comments on Luck Are Most Expressive.

Many proverbs have come down to us from remote ages, and are common to all nations.

It is said that a king of Samos worked his slaves nearly to death in making a vineyard. This provoked one of them to prophesy that his master would never drink the wine. The king, being told of this, when the first grapes were produced took a handful, and, pressing the juice into a cup in the presence of the slave, derided him as a false prophet. "Many things happen between the cup and the lip," the slave replied.

Just then a shout was heard that a wild boar had broken into the vineyard. The king, without tasting, set down the cup, ran to meet it, and was killed in the encounter. Henceforth the words of the slave passed into a proverb.

From this Greek original came two French proverbs: "Between the hand and the mouth the soup is often spilt," and "Wine poured out is not swallowed." Neither is so near the original as our English, "There's many a slip 'twixt cup and lip."

It is curious to trace how similar ideas have taken root in different languages and the various modes of illustrating the same thought. For instance, one or two familiar proverbs in our own language. We say, "A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush." The same idea is expressed by Italians when they say, "Better an egg today than a pullet tomorrow," and the French proverb is still more significant, "One here-it-is is better than two youshall-have-its." "Better a leveret in the kitchen than a wild boar in the forest," is the Livonian saying conveying the same meaning.

The proverbs on luck are numerous and expressive in all languages. In English we say, "It is better to be born lucky than rich." The Arabs convey the same idea in the apt proverb, "Throw him into the Nile and he will come up with a fish in his mouth," while the German says, "If he flung a penny on the roof a dollar would come back to him."

A Spanish proverb says, "God send you luck, my son, and little wit will serve you." There is a Latin adage, "Fortune favors fools," and it is to this Touchstone alludes in his reply to Jacques, "Call me not a fool till heaven hath sent me fortune."

The Germans say, "Jack gets on by his stupidity" and "Fortune and women are fond of fools." There is also a Latin proverb which shows that the converse of this holds good: "Fortune makes a fool of him whom she too much favors."

Some unlucky Englishman is responsible for the saying: "If my father had made me a hatter, when would have been born without heads," but this can scarcely be called original, as an unfortunate Arab, ages ago, declared, "If I were to trade in winding sheets no one would die."

"Misfortunes seldom come singly," has many equivalents in all languages. The Spaniards say, "Welcome, misfortune, if thou comest alone," and "Whither goest thou, misfortune? To where there is more?"

Called Halt on Lawyer.

Laura Hamilton tells of a funny courtroom episode which she saw one day while playing in the south some time ago.

A young lawyer had been appointed by the court to defend a man charged with larceny. In his argument to the jury he pleaded for the acquittal of his client. He told of his innocent boyhood days, of his good character, of his father, mother and brothers. In short, he launched forth into a family history.

The prisoner, an old darky, had listened with growing uneasiness to his counsel's plea, and as the attorney went on without a hint of stopping, the negro was driven to desperation. Jumping to his feet, he yelled to the court:

"I's guilty, yo' honah; I's guilty! De jury can't do no moh dan send me to jail fo' six months, but if dat fool lawyer doan stop, dey'll hang me fo' suah!"

Identified.

The two American war correspondents were gazing at the conflict when Kinkletop caught sight of a gallant officer leading a charge.

"His face is strangely familiar," he said. "That Greek lieutenant, I mean—"

"Yes," said Blithers. "He used to run the boot-blacking stand in that barber shop over on Steenth avenue and Umtp-iph street."

And just then the noble warrior dashed madly past, and, forgetting himself under the excitement of the moment, turned and cried aloud to his advancing troops:

"Next! Shine!"

And the indomitable phalanx moved steadily up the hill, giving the enemy the worst polishing-off they had had since war was declared.—Harper's Weekly.

Strenuous Oratory.

Caller—What's all that pounding in the back room?

M. P.'s Office Boy—Dunno! I heard the boss say he'd got to frame a speech, and I guess he's doin' it.—Stray Stories.

IT QUENCHES THIRST.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate

Teaspoonful in water far more delicious and refreshing than lemonade.

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